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ANNUAL REPORT
—OF THE—
TOWN OFFICERS
—OF—
WILTON, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 15, 1915

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OF THE

Selectmen, Treasurer, Other Town
Officers and School Board

OF

WILTON, N. H.

For the Year Ending Feb. 15, 1915

Also Vital Statistics for the Year Ending
December 31, 1914.

MILFORD, N. H.
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1915

Warrant for Annual Meeting.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Wilton, in the County of Hillsborough, in said State, qualified to Vote in Town Affairs

You are hereby notified to appear at the town house in said Wilton, on Tuesday, the ninth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects.

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriations for the same, including support of schools, maintenance of poor, for repair of roads and bridges, for Memorial day, for lighting streets, and miscellaneous expenses.

3. To hear the reports of all agents, auditors, committees, and all other officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

4. To see if the town will grant free use of the town hall on Memorial day and evening to Abiel A. Livermore Post, G. A. R.

5. To see if the town will vote to grant the free use of the town hall on Friday afternoon preceeding Memorial day for Memorial day exercises of the public schools, and one evening to the high school graduating class.

6. To see if the town will grant the free use of the town hall and supper room one evening in the year, to the fire department, for its annual party.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appro-

priate \$1500, being \$30 each for fifty hydrants, or any other sum to the credit of the water works for hydrant service.

8. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the care and maintenance of the water system.

9. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the care and maintenance of the sewer system.

10. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the flushing of the sewer system.

11. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the purchase and installation of water meters.

12. To hear the report of the committee appointed at the last town meeting in relation to refunding the water bonds due May 1st, 1915; and take any action relating thereto.

13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care and support of the public library and library building.

14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the suppression of the moths.

15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care and maintenance of permanent roads, constructed with state aid.

16. To see what action the town will take in regard to allowing a discount on taxes.

17. To see if the town will vote to replace the wooden bridge on the Lyndeborough Road near the Lyndeborough line, with a permanent structure, also any other bridges which may need rebuilding, to meet the requirements of Chap. 76, Sec. 3, of the Public Statutes, as amended by the Acts of 1913, and raise and appro-

priate money for the same, or take any action in relation thereto.

18. To see if the town will vote to purchase any road building machinery, and raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any action relating thereto.

19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4500.00 as the town's share of a joint fund for the construction of the Cross State trunk line highway, so-called.

20. To see what action the town will take in regard to placing new railings upon various highways and raise and appropriate money for the same.

21. To see if the town will vote to purchase the steam roller that is now being rented by the town, and raise and appropriate money as per contract made by the selectmen or take any action relative thereto.

22. To see what action the town will take regarding making suitable arrangements for the display of the United States flag over the town house and make any appropriation therefor.

23. To see if the town will take any action in relation to procuring suitable scenery for use in the town hall.

24. To see if the town will vote to remove the brook which runs through the land owned by Elvira S. Hardy, Samuel M. Upton and others, or take any action in relation thereto, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

25. To see if the town will vote to accept the bequest under the will of Cordelia Sheldon for the care of cemetery lots in Laurel Hill Cemetery.

26. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes, if necessary, as provided by the law of 1907.

27. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifteen.

GEORGE W. BEAN,
GEORGE W. BATCHELDER,
STEPHEN A. PIERCE,
Selectmen of Wilton.

INVENTORY OF PROPERTY

Inventory of property found in town April 1914.

Polls	460
Land and buildings	\$1,033,350.
Horses, 336	40,979.
Asses and mules, 3	330.
Oxen, 6	700.
Cows, 493	24,090.
Neat stock, 56	1,790.
Sheep, 44	116.
Hogs, 70	815.
Fowls, 3568	2,358.
Vehicles, 121	18,575.
Portable mills, 7	2,700.
Wood and lumber	30,325.
Municipal bonds and notes	82,110.16
Stock in Nat'l. banks in this state	4,949.95
Money on hand, at int. or on deposit	68,512.77
Stock in trade	66,614.54
Aqueducts	390.
Mills and machinery	81,330.

Total valuation, exclusive of exemption \$1,460,035.42

Tax rate \$1.75 on \$100.00.

Amount of taxes	\$25,550 61
460 Polls	920 00
Additional taxes ass.	66 50
Moth tax assessed	5 25

Amount committed to collector \$26,542 36

Exempted to soldiers, their wives and
widows, property value \$8,215 00

RAILROAD STOCK OWNED IN TOWN.

Boston & Maine shares	306
Concord & Montreal shares	254
Fitchburg shares	144
Manchester & Lawrence shares	6
Nashua & Lowell shares	260
Northern shares	122

Peterborough shares	171
Wilton shares	340
Concord & Claremont	2

APPROPRIATIONS

The following estimates have been made for appropriations necessary to meet current expenses for the ensuing year.

Repairs or highways	\$3,500 00
Sidewalks	100 00
Support of schools	7,000 00
State tax	2,816 00
County tax	2,246 24
Interest on notes and bonds	3,000 00
Fire department	900 00
Forest fires	100 00
Street lights	1,050 00
Town officers	850 00
Police and lobby	150 00
Public Library	500 00
Support of poor	100 00
Hearse and cemeteries	500 00
Memorial Day	75 00
Moths	50 00
State road maintenance	375 00
Cross State Trunk line	4,500 00
Printing and stationery	125 00
Miscellaneous	200 00

3 selectmen \$175, \$125 + \$125

town clerk \$50

" treasurer \$125

collector \$100

2 auditor \$5 + \$5

moderator \$15

Council

Please send me information
in regard to the Board of
Trust of Yale
Yale University of New Haven

Town Expenditures.

TOWN OFFICERS

Paid E. A. French, town clerk	\$ 50 00
R. M. Moore, town treasurer	125 00
Arthur A. Moore, collector	100 00
George W. Bean, selectman	175 00
George M. Batchelder, selectman	125 00
Stephen A. Pierce, selectman	125 00
W. H. Emerson, auditor	5 00
A. O. Barker, auditor	5 00
Geo. E. Bales, moderator	15 00
Bales & Cheever, counsel	50 35
Geo. S. Proctor, ballot clerk	3 00
D. M. Brennan, ballot clerk	7 50
F. N. Gray, supervisor	16 00
F. H. Porritt, supervisor	16 00
J. R. Killkelly, supervisor 1913	8 00
W. L. Stanton, supervisor 1914	8 00

\$833.85

POLICE AND LOBBY

Paid W. E. Hickey, chief of police	60 00
W. E. Hickey, special service	4 00
W. E. Hickey, dog officer	15 00
F. E. Proctor, spec. ser., July 3 &	4 4 00
F. E. Proctor, committing	4 00
A. T. Willette, spec. ser., July 3 &	4 4 00
F. N. Austin, spec. sre., July 3 &	4 4 00
Geo. E. Bales, rent of lobby	48 00
M. P. Stanton, food for tramps	8 49
E. A. French, food for tramps	12 53
D. E. Proctor, food for tramps	1 35
W. E. Hickey, food for tramps	2 55
C. E. Putnam, food for tramps	1 67

\$169 59

PRINTING AND STATIONERY

Paid Milford Cabinet, town reports	\$199 25	
Selectmen notices	1 25	
H. P. Ring, stationery, town treas.	4 90	
E. C. Eastman, tax book	2 04	
Geo. W. Bean, stamp & envelopes	6 42	
E. A. French, stamps	80	
E. A. French, dog licenses	2 50	
R. M. Moore, postage	4 20	
	<hr/>	\$221 36

STREET LIGHTING

Paid Milford Light & Power Co.	\$952 28	
R. A. Ware to Jan. 1st, 1915	32 00	
B. L. Clement, street lamps, 1913-14	6 00	
M. Kennedy, street lamps 1914	3 00	
E. A. French supplies	2 01	
F. W. Clark, supplies	1 60	
	<hr/>	\$996 89

TOWN HOUSE EXPENDITURES

Paid Geo. E. Bales, insurance	\$108 00	
Milford Light & Power Co.	143 84	
John W. Raymond, janitor	264 32	
John W. Raymond, supplies	11 14	
W. E. Foster, labor and supplies	16 73	
D. Whiting & Sons, wood & coal	123 96	
Wilton Water Works, water ser.	19 50	
Kennedy Bros., carting ashes, etc.	2 25	
F. W. Clark, supplies	2 14	
E. A. French, supplies	8 57	
C. B. Smith, supplies	1 25	
D. A. Gregg, wood	7 50	
Nathan Cragin, supplies	2 20	
G. W. Bean, labor and cash paid out		
for booths	7 40	
E. C. Brooks, labor and material	15 02	
W. R. Smith, 36 yds. denim	9 00	
	<hr/>	\$742 82

TOWN HOUSE

Received for rent of hall	\$773 50	
Show licenses	62 00	
Storage of ambulance	12 00	
J. F. Herlihy, old brick	12 50	
Fred Weston, old brick	1 50	
Mr. Nalibow, old junk	5 43	
Rent of room to Water Works	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$916 93
Blance in faavor of town		\$174 11
Received from Geo. S. Proctor, show license	\$25 00	
Town of Lyndeboro, rent of roller	25 18	
D. Whiting & Son, rent of roller	62 58	
Pedlers license	56 00	

BOARD OF HEALTH

Paid Geo. W. Hatch, services	\$75 00	
Geo. W. Hatch, expenses to Concord		
attending State Board	7 04	
W. I. Durgin, services	25 00	
W. I. Durgin fumigating school-houses,		
Wards, Drapers, help & material	73 11	
W. I. Durgin, fumigating school-		
house, Avery, Tuttle	64 43	
W. I. Durgin, fumigating Burwick,		
Clark, schoolhouse, etc.,	57 70	
D. E. Proctor, bbl. ch'd. lime, etc	11 24	
P. M. Avery, board and case of A.		
Jaresst 5 weeks	60 00	
E. F. Richardson, supplies for Rich-		
ardson, Berwick and Clark	15 07	
Smith & Broderick, flushing Teel		
brook	2 93	
S. N. Center, 18 pails	3 06	
W. I. Durgin, fumigating Mr. Con-		
rad, J. F. FitzGerald, etc.	25 50	
	<hr/>	\$420 08

MOTHS

Paid

Archie Thompson, labor	\$ 10 65	
A. W. Bean, labor	9 80	
H. W. Bean, labor	5 35	
A. W. Bean, Woodward place	5 25	
Geo. W. Bean, cash pd. fr't. & carting,	1 00	
Geo. W. Bean, stamps and faucet	4 50	
Samuel Cabot, Inc., creosote	5 94	
		<hr/> \$ 42 49

Received

Received of moth tax collector	\$5 25	
Received, for creosote sold	5 00	
		<hr/> \$ 10 25

FIRE DEPARTMENT

M E. Kennedy, treas. pay roll Co., 1	\$180 00	
H. P. Herlihy, treas. pay roll Co. 2	180 00	
F. E. Proctor, treas. pay roll Co. 3	180 00	
F. E. Proctor, chief engineer	30 00	
D. M. Brennan, 1st assistant	15 00	
P. J. Abbot, 2nd assistant	11 25	
P. J. Abbot, supplies	17 00	
Crosby Steam Gauge Co.,	14 00	
Geo. E. Bales, insurance on engine		
house	6 25	
Geo. E. Bales, insurance on apparatus	12 50	
Milford Light & Power Co.,	12 00	
D. Whiting & Son, steam for whistle	100 00	
D. Whiting & Son, coal	23 86	
D. E. Proctor, supplies	17 17	
D. E. Proctor, storage	3 00	
F. W. Clark, supplies	4 00	
Wilton Water Works, service	6 00	
D. Mahoney, steward	36 00	
		<hr/> \$ 848 03

FOREST FIRES

F. E. Proctor, warden	\$ 99 98
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Received from fire warden for auto used	\$13 00
From R.M.Moore for auto to R.R. fires	\$11 00

SUPPORT OF POOR

E. A. French, supplies for G. A. Towne	\$7 04
C. E. Putnam, services as overseer	20 00
C. E. Putnam, telephone & postage	1 12
	<hr/> \$ 28 16

MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS

Dr. C E. Rice, return births & deaths	1 00
Dr. C. E. Higgins, return births&deaths	7 25
Dr. G. W. Hatch, returns births & deaths	4 00
E. A. French, returning & recording	17 75
	<hr/> \$ 30 00

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

Mrs. Nellie B. Cheever, district treasurer	\$6500 00
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MEMORIAL DAY

D. E. Proctor, for Post Livermore G.A.R.	75 00
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LIBRARY

George G. Blanchard, treasurer	\$500 00
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CEMETERIES

E. D. Hesselton,	\$497 98
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HIGHWAYS

W. F. Wood, labor, material &supplies	\$354 79
A. D. Young, labor, material & supplies	3396 21
	<hr/> \$ 3751 00

SIDEWALKS

A D. Young, labor & material	\$233 66
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WIDENING THE ROAD

A. D. Young, labor & material	\$503 26
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NEW BRIDGE

A. D. Young, labor & material	\$386 61
United Construction Co., for iron girders on hand	\$100 00

WILTON WATER WORKS

Labor & material	\$5398 40
(Refund from C. W. Keith, on acc't error \$3 75	

SEWERS

Labor and supplies	\$190 78
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HYDRANTS AND TROUGHS

Flushing sewers	\$1500 00
51 Hydrants	1530 00
6 Troughs	36 00
E. M. Purdy, trough 1914	3 00
H. W. & C. E. Frye, trough 1914	2 00
	<hr/> \$ 3071 00

TOOLS FOR STATE ROAD

H. H. Livermore, lunches furnished by the town	\$ 2 03
Ames Plow Co., tools	31 17
W. E. Foster, tools	3 12
F. W. Clark, tools & supplies	13 46
D. E. Proctor, tools & supplies	7 92
P. F. Sullivan, drills and bars	8 75
D. Whiting, drag plank	4 00
N. Cragin, mdse and labor	2 65
C. B. Smith, tools & supplies	44 64
G. W. Bean, expense to Boston	2 97
Geo. W. Bean, labor & cash paid	9 04
	<hr/> \$ 129 75

MISCELLANEOUS

Souhegan Nat Bank, deposit box	\$ 5 00
W. E. Foster, cash box	1 00
Luther M. Langdell, sealer expense	4 22
J. Quigley, team, J. F. Herlihy	2 00
A.D. Young, painting, rep'ng tool house	16 03
S. A. Pierce, expense to Manchester	2 00
S. A. Pierce, expense to Concord	5 80
Geo. W. Bean, team taking invoice	3 00
Geo.M.Batchelder, team taking invoice	12 00
Geo. W. Bean, cash paid out for telephone, postage, freight, expenses, mileage etc.	27 81
Geo. E. Bales, insurance tool house	6 00
Geo. E. Bales, premium on bonds	34 00
Bales & Cheever, legal services, cash paid out for looking up bonds, ad- vice and expense in connection with the taxes assessed to the Clara E. Lewis estate	92 99
J. F. Herlihy, labor, material & team on guide boards	7 46
Wilton Carriage Co., painting boards	34 40
Henry Blanchard, painting boards	2 50
Geo. W. Bean, collecting, delivering, labor & material	19 10
Baltimore Enamel Sign Co., R.R. signs	2 92
	<hr/> \$ 278 23

SUMMARY

Town officers	\$ 883 85
Police and Lobby	169 59
Printing and stationery	221 36
Fire Department	848 03
Street Lights	996 89
Town House	742 82
Board of Health	420 08
Moth Department	42 49
Forest Fires	99 88
Support of Poor	28 16
Marriages, Births & Deaths	30 00
Wilton Water Works	5398 40

Sewers	190 78
Hydrants and Troughs	3071 00
Support of Schools	6500 00
Library	500 00
Cemeteries	497 98
Memorial Day	75 00
Highways	3751 00
Sidewalks	233 66
Widening Roads	503 26
Bridges	386 61
Iron Girders on hand	100 00
Tools for State Road	129 75
State Road Maintenance	636 83
Cross State Trunk Line	13,766 37
Miscellaneous	278 23
	<hr/> \$ 40,502 02

Respectfully submitted
 GEORGE W. BEAN
 GEORGE M. BATCHELDER
 STEPHEN A. PIERCE
 Selectmen of Wilton

We have examined the above account, finding it correctly cast and properly vouched.

W. E. EMERSON
 A. O. BARKER
 Auditor of the Town of Wilton N. H.

Concord, N. H., February 8, 1915.

To the Selectmen:

We suggest that you cause the following extract from the report of the Tax Commission for 1914 to be printed in your town report this spring. It may tend to economy in town appropriations.

Very truly,

STATE TAX COMMISSION,

By W. B. Fellows, Secretary.

REPORT STATE TAX COMMISSION 1914.

Increase In Public Expenditures.

No power has constituted the members of the tax commission guardians of the public in respect to expenditures for the support of government, and they have no disposition to assume that role. Nevertheless, "economy being a most essential virtue in all states," and it being "the duty of legislators and magistrates *** to countenance and inculcate the principles of *** economy," all as set forth in the constitution of the state, the commissioners believe themselves to be amply justified in urging, as they have so often urged before, the importance of this subject upon the voters of the state. The public revenue, state and municipal, is the voters' business and they are responsible, directly or indirectly, for every extravagance affecting it from the inception to the termination of the fund.

Every compulsory contribution levied by public authority upon people or property is in the broad sense of the term a tax, nor is it made less obnoxious or burdensome if called a fee or a fine. In the figures that follow therefore, all fees, fines, and other exactions, if any, are included with the taxes upon polls and estates. To illustrate the comparative importance of the two classes, it may be said that the taxes upon polls and estates represent about 95 per cent. and all other income about 5 per cent. of the total revenue of the state, and of the

counties, cities, towns, districts and precincts therein.

Taxes as defined above have increased by leaps and bounds in recent years. In 1903 the sum of all the taxes assessed by and within the state of New Hampshire was \$5,373,420.22; in 1913 it was \$8,765,039.07, an increase of \$3,391,618.85, or 63 per cent., in ten years. But these figures do not adequately represent the velocity the upward movement has now attained. To show that it is necessary to divide the ten-year period: The levy in 1908 was \$924,388.79, or 17 per cent. greater than in 1903, while that in 1913 was \$2,467,230.06, or 39 per cent. greater than in 1908. By so much did the advance in the last half of said period exceed that in the first half. These figures will be the more alarming if it is remembered that while taxes already sufficiently heavy were advancing 63 per cent., the population of the state increased only about $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., and while the one was advancing 39 per cent., the other increased only about $2\frac{1}{4}$ per cent.

It is instructive to study the subject from another angle. In the ten years from 1904 to 1914, both inclusive, the annual increase in all taxes defined and limited as above was as follows:

1904	.....	\$34,459.91
1905	.....	286,590.14
1906	.....	115,468.39
1907	.....	411,257.46
1908	.....	76,612.89
1909	.....	539,995.97
1910	.....	787,565.31
1911	.....	215,848.50
1912	.....	296,216.85
1913	.....	627,603.43

The average yearly increase for the whole period was \$333,561.85. The upward trend is more plainly shown, however, by dividing, as before, the ten-year period in the middle and considering the halves separately. For the first five years the average annual increase was \$184,877.76; for the last five years it was \$439,446.01. It is surely pertinent to consider how long the little state of New Hampshire, almost stationary in wealth, can sustain a tax already burdensome and increasing at the rate

of practically half a million dollars a year without crippling her industries and impoverishing her people. Plainly it is a condition not calculated to attract capital from without the state or to encourage business within the same.

From the per capita standpoint the situation is not less disturbing. In 1903 there were assessed \$12.88 in taxes for each man, woman and child in the state. Five years later there were assessed \$14.75 for each individual, and in five years more \$20.09. If in 1913 taxes had been equally distributed among all the people it would have meant a burden of \$100 for each family of five members. Though in reality there was little such equality in the assessment there was much in the payment. The fact is that those who occupy, use or consume property, no matter who owns it, are those who in the last analysis pay most, if not all, of the taxes thereon. If the wage earner or the man of limited means understood he was in reality paying something like \$100 a year in state and municipal and half as much more in federal taxes for the government of himself, his wife and three children his influence and his vote would more frequently make for economy in appropriations and expenditures than heretofore.

No statistics for the year 1914 appear in the above paragraphs for the reason that they are not yet at hand except in part.

Report of Town Treasurer.

For the Fiscal Year Ending February 15th, 1915

Cash in Treasury Feb. 15th, 1914	\$4,187 47
Received from Selectmen on account of	
Rent of Town hall	773 50
Peddlers license	56 00
Old boiler sold	5 40
Old brick sold	14 00
Creosote sold	5 00
Rent of steam roller	87 76
For use of fire truck	24 00
For show licenses	87 00
For storage of ambulance from J.	
E.. FitzGerald Est.	12 00
From State Liquor commissioner	16 48
Received from E. A. French, town clerk,	
on account of:	
Dog licenses	187 47
Pool and bowling alleys license	60 00
Primary licenses	8 00
From State Treasurer, on account of:	
Portion of State road fund	6,327 87
Maintenance of State road	439 24
Insurance tax	48 57
Railroad tax	1,278 15
Savings bank tax	1,296 52
Literary fund	208 56
Proportion of School Fund	1,358 20
Interest on Sinking Fund	345 00
Gardner C. Blanchard, burial lot fund	100 00
Geo. G. Blanchard, Harry C. Blanchard,	
Lucy S. Blanchard, Chas. W. White,	
Carroll S. White, Mrs. Jennie F.	
Barnes, Mrs. Emma L. Griffin, on ac-	
count of Chas. Spalding, burial lot	100 00
Received for cemetery lots sold	7 00
On temporary notes	8,400 00
Wilton Water Works, rent of room	50 00
From Arthur A. Moore, collector taxes	
for 1914	23,766 41

Arthur A. Moore, collector taxes for		
1913	3,392	51
Frank L. Davis, collector taxes for		
1912	578	10
Wilton Water Works, Fred C. Sanborn,		
treasurer, cash	2,476	86
Wilton Water Works, Fred C. Sanborn,		
treas., cash	3085	50
(for hydrants 1500., flushing sewers		
1500., town hall 3., engine house, fire		
dep't 16.50, watering troughs 36.)		
C. W. Keith, refund	3	75
	<hr/>	\$ 58,786 32

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Interest on 5-20 notes	\$298	13
Interest on old notes	125	72
Interest on new notes	636	34
Interest on water bonds	1,575	00
School district, acct. of Literary fund	208	56
Proportion of State School fund	1,358	20
County tax	1,784	16
State tax	3,040	00
Temporary notes issued in anticipation		
of taxes	5,500	00
Interest on above notes	92	39
Other temporary notes	700	00
On deposit in Indian Head Sav'gs. bank		
account of G. G. Blanchard, cem-		
etery lot fund	100	00
On deposit in Indian Head Sav'gs. bank		
account of Chas. Spalding ceme-		
tery lot fund	100	00
Interest on G. G. Blanchard cemetery		
fund, June 16th to Feb. 15th	1	94
Dep. in City Guaranty Sav'gs. Bank of		
Nashua int. on sinking fund bond	345	00
Mrs. Nellie B. Cheever, Treas School		
Dist, amount from dog licenses	187	47
Orders drawn by Selectmen	40,502	02
Cash in treasurer's hands	2,231	39
	<hr/>	\$58,786 32

FINANCIAL STANDING OF THE TOWN FOR
YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15th, 1915.

32-5-20 notes, due June 30th, 1916	\$10,600 00
Interest to Feb. 15th, 1915	204 90
32 temporary notes issued prior to 1909	17,300 00
Interest to Feb. 15, 1915	225 61
23 temporary notes issued since 1909	11,300 00
Interest to Feb. 15, 1915	130 02
90 500 Water bonds payable May 1, 1915	45,000 00
Interest to Feb. 15, 1915	461 25
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Gross debt, Feb. 15	\$85,221 78

Resources

Cash in treasury	\$ 2,231 39
Cash in Sinking Fund	\$10,438 29
Available means consisting of un-	
collected taxes for 1912	225 64
Uncollected taxes for 1914	2,396 45
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	\$15,291 77
Net debt, 1915,	\$69,930 01
Net debt, 1914,	63,381 51
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Net increase for 1915	\$6,548 50

R. M. MOORE,
Treasurer.

We have examined the foregoing statement of the
Town Treasurer and find it correct.

W. H. EMERSON,
A. O. BAKER,
Auditors of Wilton.

SINKING FUNDS ACCOUNT

To apply as far as possible in paying maturing water works bonds, due May 1, 1915

1 Kennebeck Co., Me., 4's, No. 4	\$500 00
Interest to Feb 15	5 83
(Principal due Oct. 1, 1928)	
1 Kennebeck Co., Me., 4's, No. 5	500 00
Interest to Feb. 15	5 83
(Principal due Oct. 1, 1928)	
1 Wilton Water Works 3½'s No. 32	500 00
Interest to Feb. 15	5 10
(Principal due May 1, 1915)	
1 Winooski, Vt., Water 4's No. 6	1,000 00
Interest to Feb. 15	11 67
(Principle due July 1, 1917)	
1 Lyndonville, Vt., 4's No. 81	500 00
Interest to Feb. 15	2 50
(Principal due July 1, 1927)	
1 Lyndonville, Vt., 4's No. 82	500 00
Interest to Feb. 15	2 50
(Principal due July 1, 1927)	
1 Attleboro, Mass., 4's No. 5	1,012 50
Interest to Feb 15	5 22
(Principal due July 1, 1926)	
1 Lyndonville, Vt., 4's No. 83	500 00
Interest to Feb. 15	2 50
(Principal due Jan. 1, 1921)	
1 Newport, R. I., 4's No. 1	1,000 00
Interest to Feb 15	5 00
(Principal due July 1, 1930)	
1 Hyde Park, Mass., 4's No. 44	502 50
Interest to Feb. 15	2 50
(Principal due Jan. 1, 1920)	
1 Pittsfield N. H. 4's, No. 31	500 00
Interest to Feb. 15	2 61
(Principal due July 1, 1916)	
1 City of Berlin, N. H., 4½'s No. 82	1,052 70
Interest to Feb. 15	13 37
(Principal due Nov. 1, 1924)	
1 City of Berlin, N. H., 4½'s, No. 89	527 75
Interest to Feb. 15	6 70
(Principal due Nov. 1, 1925)	

Earnings of sinking fund for 1915 deposited in City Guaranty Svgs. Bank, Nashua	345 00
Earnings of sinking fund dep. in Guaranty Svgs. Bank of Nashua, April 1, 1914	1,385 37
Interest on above, April 1, '14 to Feb. 15, '15	42 14
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	\$10,438 29

R. M. MOORE,
Treasurer.

We have personally examined the above securities
and find them correct as reported.

WM. H. EMERSON,
A. O. BARKER,
February 24, 1915 Auditors of Wilton, N. H.

WILTON TRUST FUND ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1915.

Name of fund.	Date received.	Amount.	Amount Feb. 15, 1914	Where deposited.	Earnings Feb. 15, 1915 to future	To whom paid.	For what expended.	Balance
Andrew N. Burton	June 28, 1907	\$200	\$278.47	City Guaranty Savings Bank, Nashua, N. H.	\$10.48	E. W. Hesselton	Mowing and trimming	\$286.95
Mary A. Woodman	June 28, 1907	200	217.47	City Guaranty Savings Bank, Nashua, N. H.	8.35	E. W. Hesselton	Mowing and trimming	221.72
David A. Gregg	June 28, 1907	200	240.07	Indian Head Savings Bank, Nashua, N. H.	5.42	E. W. Hesselton	Mowing and trimming	243.19
Jacob Kendall	June 28, 1907	100	113.47	City Guaranty Savings Bank, Nashua, N. H.	4.29	E. W. Hesselton	Mowing and trimming	115.76
Phoebe H. Putnam	June 28, 1907	100	110.06	City Guaranty Savings Bank, Nashua, N. H.	4.18	E. W. Hesselton	Mowing and trimming	112.24
Charles Rideout	June 28, 1907	50	61.82	City Guaranty Savings Bank, Nashua, N. H.	2.29	.....	Nothing required	64.11
Solon Tarbell	June 28, 1907	100	125.01	City Guaranty Savings Bank, Nashua, N. H.	4.37	E. W. Hesselton	Mowing and trimming	127.38
M. A. Peabody	June 28, 1907	100	114.51	Granite Savings Bank, Milford, N. H.	3.99	E. W. Hesselton	Mowing and trimming	116.50
Dorcas Peabody	June 28, 1907	100	116.54	Granite Savings Bank, Milford, N. H.	4.06	E. W. Hesselton	Mowing and trimming	118.60
Hannah E. Howard	June 28, 1907	125	140.62	Granite Savings Bank, Milford, N. H.	4.91	.....	Nothing required	145.52
care Ben Parker lot	Dec. 31, 1907	125	150.25	Granite Savings Bank, Milford, N. H.	5.25	.....	Nothing required	153.50
Moses Clark	Apr. 24, 1909	100	105.91	Granite Savings Bank, Milford, N. H.	3.67	E. W. Hesselton	Nothing required	107.58
Curtis Bellows	Oct. 28, 1907	25	26.59	Granite Savings Bank, Milford, N. H.	91	.....	.....	27.50
Nancy B. Peavy	Jan'y 10, 1911	300	321.84	Granite Savings Bank, Milford, N. H.	11.23	E. W. Hesselton	.....	331.07
M. H. Snow care	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
G. W. Eaton lot	June 26, 1911	100	101.82	Granite Savings Bank, Milford, N. H.	3.53	.....	Nothing required	105.35
Almira L. Dascomb	June 10, 1908	100	114.88	Granite Savings Bank, Milford, N. H.	3.99	.....	.....	118.87
Mrs. Levi Putnam	Nov. 12, 1912	50	50.89	Granite Savings Bank, Milford, N. H.	1.75	.....	.....	52.64
John Gage and Mrs. Holt	May 7, 1914	100	102.19	Indian Head Savings Bank, Nashua, N. H.	2.29	.....	.....	104.92
Peter H. Putnam	Oct. 6, 1913	100	100.88	Indian Head Savings Bank, Nashua, N. H.	2.27	.....	.....	103.65
W. & W. W. Parker	Dec. 2, 1913	200	200.88	Indian Head Savings Bank, Nashua, N. H.	4.52	E. W. Hesselton	.....	202.10
Ira G. Wilkins	July 13, 1913	100	101.88	Indian Head Savings Bank, Nashua, N. H.	2.29	.....	.....	102.67
Gardner B. anchor	June 19, 1914	100	.....	.....	1.94	.....	.....	101.94
Charles Spalding	Feb. 15, 1915	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100.00

Report of Tax Collector.

Dr

1914	
To amount committed to collector	\$26,470 61
Moth tax	5 25
Additions	66 50
Interest	19 25
	<hr style="width: 10%; margin-left: 0;"/> \$26,561 59

Cr.

By abatements	\$ 228 18
2 per cent. discounts	170 55
Uncollected	2,396 45
Cash paid treasurer	23,766 41
	<hr style="width: 10%; margin-left: 0;"/> 26,561 59

1913

Dr.

Bal. uncollected as per last report	\$3,243 26
Interest	163 25
	<hr style="width: 10%; margin-left: 0;"/> \$3,406 51

Cr.

By abatements	14 00
Collected	3,392 51
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1912

Clara E. Lewis' est. additional on last report	\$1,213 82
Abated	\$1,213 82

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR A. MOORE,

..Collector.

Report of Cemetery Committee

The grounds of the various cemeteries have been well kept and are in an improved condition. There are no out-standing bills contracted by the Committee. All of the income from the special deposits for individual lots has been expended as seemed best and the lots are in good condition.

The committee have been able to keep their expenditures within the amount appropriated and would suggest that the sum of \$400.00 for the general care of the cemeteries be raised, and in addition that the sum of \$100.00 be raised and appropriated for permanent roads and for the general improvements in Mt. Calvery cemetery, said sum to be expended under the supervision of the Cemetery Committee. The above appropriation of \$400.00 will be sufficient to provide for the services of a caretaker during the summer months, which the Committee would advise.

Respectfully submitted,
 DAVID WHITING,
 GEO. G. TOLFORD,
 EDWARD W. HESSELTON,
 Cemetery Committee.

E. W. Hesselton in Account with Cemeteries:

Bills paid May 1914:

C. B. Durgin, picking browntails	\$5 60	
Eldon Putnam, fertilizer	4 40	
Charles Stewart, labor, 19 days	38 00	
John E. FitzGerald, labor, 17 days	36 00	
M. E. Kennedy, carting leaves	6 50	
N. J. Quigley, team to No. and So. yards	3 00	
Town, water rental for 1913	6 00	
E. A. French, seed, rake, axle grease	1 50	
E. W. Hesselton, labor, 22 days	44 00	
	<hr/>	\$145 00

Bills paid June 1914:

Smith & Broderick, turning on water in cemeteries	\$ 2 93	
E. J. Hopkins, sharpening L. mowers	75	
D. Whiting & Sons, cement	65	
M. E. Kennedy, carting rubbish	75	
Chas. Stewart, labor, 2 days	4 00	
E. W. Hesselton, labor, 13½ days	27 00	
A. T. Willett, straps for hearse	1 00	
N. J. Quigley, team to So. yard	75	
	<hr/>	\$37 83

Bills paid July 1914:

Kennedy Bros., mowing machine, 2½	\$ 2 50	
Labor, 10½ days	21 00	
	<hr/>	\$23 50

Bills paid Aug 1914:

Wm. F. Wood, mowing No. and So. cemeteries	22 50	
E. W. Hesselton, labor, 9 days	18 00	
N. J. Quigley, teams to No. & So. yards	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$41 50

Bills paid Sept. 1914:

1 hoe	\$ 45	
N. J. Quigley, 2 teams to So. yard	2 00	
E. W. Hesselton, labor, 6¾ days	13 50	
	<hr/>	\$15 95

Bills paid Oct. 1914:

N. J. Quigley, team to Mt. Calvary	75	
E. A. French, hoe and line	65	
E. W. Hesselton, labor, 8½ days	17 00	
675 ft. road, Mt. Calvary	105 25	
Smith & Broderick, shutting off water	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$194 50

Bills paid Nov. 1914:

E. W. Hesselton, labor, 5 days	\$10 00	
Repairs of hearse	5 30	
	<hr/>	\$15 30

Bills paid Dec. 1914:

Kennedy Bros., team, ½ day	\$ 2 50	
E. W. Hesselton, 4 trucks for hearse	3 00	
E. W. Hesselton, labor, 6 days	12 00	
	<hr/>	\$17 50

Bills paid Jan. and Feb. 1915:

Town; water rental 1914;	6 00	
D. Whiting & Sons, 30 feet pine	90	
	<hr/>	\$6 90

Rec'd. from Sacred Heart church Amt.
overdrawn

5 25

	\$492 73
Amt. received from care of lots & graves	75 50
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Amt. appropriated by town

\$417 23

Less amount expended

500 00

417 23

Unexpended balance

\$82 77

Report of Overseer of the Poor

YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1915.

Town Charges.

Pd. F. W. Clark, supplies for Geo. A. Towne	\$7 04	\$7 04
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County Charges.

Pd. Geo. A. Worcester, Gdn., for support of Mary A. K. Tyler	\$ 38 75	
Pd. Henry A. Bishop	1 40	
Pd. E. A. French, supplies for Mrs. Walter Heald, to Feb. 1, 1915	60 41	
Pd. E. A. French, supplies for C. H. Goss, to Feb. 1, 1915	100 00	
Pd. G. G. Tolford, supplies for Mrs. Walter Heald, to Dec. 28, 1914	32 70	
Pd. M. P. Stanton, Est., supplies for Mrs. Beaudry & family, to Jan. 27, '15	167 11	
Pd. J. E. FitzGerald, for burial of Adelia Simoneau	20 00	
Pd. C. E. Higgins, M. D., for medical attendance, Ila Peralla	11 00	
Pd. C. E. Higgins, M. D., medical aid and transporting Mr. Huse to Farm	5 00	
Pd. Mrs. S. E. Lindsay, cash to Jan. 30, 1915	25 50	
Pd. C. E. Rice, M. D., medical attendance for Mrs. A. Simoneau	2 00	
Pd. C. E. Higgins, M.D., med. attendance for Mrs. A. Simoneau	10 00	
Pd. J. T. Greeley, M. D., med. attendance for Mrs. A. Simoneau	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$483 87
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		\$490 91

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. PUTNAM,
Overseer of the Poor.

Report of Board of Engineers

We beg to submit the following report:

On hand and in good condition Jan. 1, 1915: Three hose carriages containing about 1000 feet hose, One 45 gallon American LaFrance chemical engine, twelve 6 gallon Babcock extinguishers and six 3 gallon chemicals, eighteen firemen's coats, three Eastman nozzles and extra tips, three hydrant gates, one ladder truck, the Excelsior fire engine. The Flying Squadron, consisting of a 60 h. p. Alco car equipped with two ladders, one roof, one extension, two 6 gallon and three 3 gallon extinguishers, 250 feet hose, Eastman nozzle and all connections, axes and lanterns, making a first class equipment. During the year Asst. Chief Abbot and Steward Daniel Mahoney have invented a device to attach to a small chemical to be used for inserting in a chimney. This has been tried out a number of times and does fine work. This little invention alone shows that the officials and the firemen take great interest in the department.

The Fire Loss.

The fire loss for the past year has been very slight. There were only two fires of any great note. The Howard Co. fire in their kiln, Nov. 7, was a hard one to conquer owing to the lumber being piled so high. It was soon under control, however. The loss was covered by insurance. The fire at the Boot and Shoe department in the Center Cash store, Nov. 17, was also a stubborn one to handle. At this fire and the Howard Co. fire the chemical engine did fine work, holding the fire down till the water could be turned on. Both of these fires demonstrated the fact that we need more hose and more hydrant gates. The Flying Squadron has responded to many alarms during the year and the engineers feel that the machine has paid for itself many times in saving fire loss.

The alarm system at the Central Telephone station at Whitings mill still renders fine service and everyone

having a phone on the Wilton circuit can ring in an alarm in a very short time.

The fire engineers feel that they need a little extra money this year to replace some of the tires which came with the machine which they do not consider safe. Also the department needs a few more small hand extinguishers hydrant gates and hose. The central station, under the able stewardship of Daniel Mahoney, is in excellent condition. The engineers are proud of the equipment of the department and invite every citizen to inspect the central station.

Owing to the crowded condition of the town hall annex the Fire Engineers were obliged to move the Excelsior hand tub to the basement of Major Proctor's barn where it can be found if it is needed. If anyone knows of a better place to store it we are open to suggestions.

Where the large chemicals are located: The A. L. Curtis farm, W. A. Burton farm, Chas. E. Wright, Henry Blanchard, O. H. Frye, Frank N. Gray, George M. Batchelder, H. W. & C. E. Frye farm, George Chandler, George Badger, and two on the Flying Squadron.

We wish to thank all who have helped in the past year to make this department what it is at the present time.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK E. PROCTOR, Chief.

D. M. BRENNAN, Asst. Chief.

R. J. ABBOTT, Asst. Chief.

Report of Fire Warden

I take pleasure this year in announcing that the loss from forest fires the past year has been very small. Owing to the cooperation of the citizens and the good work of the Fire Department and the use of the Flying Squadron in getting men to the fire quickly the fire loss has been kept down. There were several alarms during the year: West Wilton, near farm of H. E. Dutton; near farm of Mrs. Goldsmith; the Gregg woodlot and the LaCasse brush lot. The department responded to many Boston & Maine fires, but as the Company paid the bills we make no record of them. In order to make this department more efficient I will name my deputies in town so, if you live in this district, report a fire to them at once, or to me:

Frank N. Gray, George W. Perham, William A. Burton,
Stanley H. Abbott, Orville H. Frye, George S. Proctor.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK E. PROCTOR,

Forest Fire Warden.

Report of Water Commissioners

Number of connections previously reported 270.

Number of connections added during the year 3.

EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 1914

General Expenses

Paid S. B. Center, services as com.	\$25 00	
E. J. Hopkins, services as com.	40 00	
J. F. Frye, services as com.	25 00	
F. C. Sanborn, services as com.	16 66	
S. B. Center, team and telephoning	1 10	
N. J. Quigley, team	1 50	
Town of Wilton, rent of room	50 00	
E. J. Hopkins, use of auto, exp., etc	7 41	
F. C. Sanborn, express, postage, etc	3 01	
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		\$169 68

Construction Account

National Meter Co., 2 6-in. compound meters	\$800 00	
Nat. Meter Co. 1 4-in. compound met.	225 00	
National Meter Co., meters	58 00	
Smith & Broderick, labor	28 39	
Braman Dow & Co., goose necks	47 50	
Granyille Stearns, labor	12 00	
Braman Dow & Co., pipe	14 27	
Union Water Meter Co., waste stops	14 04	
Hillsboro County, registering deeds	5 62	
F. C. Sanborn, freight & cartage on met.	1 33	
M. E. Kennedy, hauling meter	50	
F. C. Sanborn, freight on meters	4 18	
Worthington Meter Co.	8 40	
Braman Dow & Co.	6 44	
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		\$1,225 67

Care and Maintenance

Ludlow Valve Co., gate rubbers, nuts and bolts	\$ 12 15	
National Meter Co., material	5 92	
A. D. Young, labor	7 25	
D. Whiting & Sons, crushed stone	25	
National Meter Co., fittings	12 70	
D. E. Proctor, supplies, lantern, oil, etc	2 14	
Bales & Cheever, counsel fees	7 00	
Smith & Broderick, labor	116 35	
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		\$163 76

Running Pump

Smith & Broderick, labor, etc	\$ 44 50	
C. W. Keith, account of Furgeson	135 82	
E. J. Hopkins, gasoline, oil, express	50 00	
P. J. Abbott, gasoline and oil	1 95	
Smith & Broderick, moving pump	4 25	
Lunt & Moss Co., springs for pump	69	
D. J. Draper, moving pump	2 25	
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		\$239 46

Repairs to Dam

Smith & Broderick, labor	\$ 48 48	
Clinton Wire Cloth Co., 2 screens	16 25	
D. Whiting & Sons, plank	3 57	
Fred Graves, dinners	2 50	
C. W. Keith, labor and material	950 13	
L. M. Ham Co., channel iron	1 35	
Sanford E. Thompson, services as consulting engineer	166 61	
Daniel Cragin, sand	15 00	
P. F. Sullivan, material and sharpening tools	10 45	
C. W. Keith, repairs at dam	1,858 88	
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		\$3,073 22

Cleaning out Reservoir

C. W. Keith	\$361 65	
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		\$361 65

Burton Pond

Smith & Broderick, labor	\$ 9 78	
D. Whiting & Sons, cement	2 00	
E. B. Frye, making strainer for Burton Pond	3 00	
A. D. Young, labor	2 00	
Braman, Dow & Co., gate	18 00	
A. D. Young, labor and material	120 13	
P. F. Sullivan, wrench	4 50	
E. J. Hopkin, trip to Boston & 'phoning	5 55	
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		\$164 96

Financial Statement

Hydrant service, 51 @ \$30.00 each	\$1,530 00	
Flushing sewers	1,500 00	
Watering troughs, 6 @\$6 each	36 00	
Water rentals	2,496 36	
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		\$5,562 36
Paid to the town treasurer	\$5,562 36	
Uncollected rentals	\$440 10	

Stock on Hand and Tools

Stock, miscellaneous articles	\$360 11	
2 6-inch compound meters	800 00	
Tools: Gasoline pump and engine and miscellaneous tools	731 69	
Old lumber at reservoir		<hr/>
		\$1,891 80
We find the construction account of the Wilton Water Works system to be, Feb. 16, 1915		\$58,083 98

WATER COMMISSIONERS REPORT

To the Citizens of Wilton:

In accordance with the vote of the town at the last annual meeting, we have bought one four-inch and two six-inch meters, for the sum of \$1050.00. We have installed the smaller one at Whiting's elevator, while the two six-inch ones remain in stock until frost leaves the ground, when it is our purpose to place one at the Amidon mill and the other at Hillsboro mills.

Concrete Dam

This dam has been built substantially upon the lines as laid down by Mr. Dudley (see last year's report) under the direction of Mr. C. W. Keith, of Milford, with expert advice of Mr. Sanford Thompson, of Newton Highlands. A few weeks after the town made this appropriation we found that the easterly retaining wall had cracked, which demanded more repair work and made more expense.

It seemed best that we make a complete job of the whole work, which we did as follows: The whole of the East abutment was heavily rebuilt, the whole deck of the dam was covered with a six inch sheet of new concrete, making the cracks in deck and gate house tight and adding five inches to the top of the reservoir; the wing, or parapet wall on the west end of the dam was relaid with a batter and the toe of the dam was reinforced, stopping all seepage.

Cleaning

There was great need of a thorough cleaning of the reservoir and with the water drawn off and the pump in operation considerable expense was avoided, so this necessary work became a part of the expense.

Burton Pond

It being essential to our water system during the dry seasons of 1913-14 to have water from Burton Pond,

we made an arrangement with Dr. Frye to replace the old wooden gate with an eight-inch cast iron pipe and gate in place of cash. This has been attended to and we shall receive a receipt from him, releasing us from further liability. We wish it understood that the State Board of Health have only allowed the use of this water in emergencies.

We have spent more money than you appropriated, for these purposes, but we felt it was necessary and demanded for the good of the service.

STARR B. CENTER,
JOSHUA F. FRYE,
FRED C. SANBORN,
Water Commissioners.

Report of Sewer Commissioners

Smith & Broderick, labor	\$50 60	
D. Whiting & Sons, brick and cement	6 35	
Harold L. Bond, sewer rods	94 20	
A. D. Young, labor	35 31	
Bales & Cheever, making and expense of recording deeds	4 32	
		\$190 78
Stock on hand and tools as per inventory		\$176 70

STARR B. CENTER,
JOSHUA F. FRYE,
Sewer Commissioners.

Report of Road Agent.

Feb 28 Paid:

W. F. Wood, 8 days, 5 hours	\$ 23 50
W. F. Wood, 24 dys. 3 hrs. with team	109 50
W. F. Wood, 3 men, 8 hours	5 28
Roy Tuttle 4½ days	20 25
S. J. Sheldon, 1 day, team & extra man	6 50
Fred Weston, 10 hrs. shoveling snow	2 20
Geo. Weston, 10 hrs. shoveling snow	2 00
H. Bickford 2 days shoveling snow	4 00
A. J. Redfield 4 days, 3 hrs. with team	19 50
Frye Brothers 1 day labor	2 00
Arthur Purdy 5 days labor with team	22 50
Henry Sheldrick 3 hrs. labor	67
J. P. Chandler 8 hrs. labor	1 76
C. E. Sheldon, 8 dys. team, 2 extra men	43 00
G. F. Badger 1½ days, team, extra man	11 75
Geo. W. Perham 5 hrs. labor	2 50
Geo. W. Perham extra man 1 hour	22
D. M. Porter 2 days, 6 hrs. (snow)	5 33
Geo. W. Bean breaking roads	2 50
S. H. Abbott 1 day, 2 hrs. labor	2 42
G. M. Batchelder 2 days, 3 hrs, 2 extra men 2 hrs.	10 90
John A. Sheldon 5 days labor	10 00
Edgar Townsend 1 day, 6 hrs.	3 33
Geo. Chandler 3½ hrs.	77
Wm. Berry 3 days, 3 hrs.	7 76
E. G. Batchelder 1 day, 7 hrs.	8 00

\$328 14

April 1, Paid:

W. F. Wood 2 days, 3 hrs.	\$6 40
W. F. Wood ½ day team	2 25
W. F. Wood ½ day extra man	1 00
Roy Tuttle ½ day, labor and team	2 25
Chas. Brown 2 days ½ hour, team	9 25
Chas. Brown 1 day, extra man	2 00
P. F. Clement plowing sidewalks	1 50

Perley Greeley 4 hrs., team	2 00	
Total		\$26 65
		\$354 79

FRANK W. WOODS,
Road Agent.

March 1914

A. D. Young 8 days at \$3.25	\$26 00	
Jack Whalen, 5 days, 8 hrs., \$2	11 78	
James D. Young 8 days, 4 hrs., \$1.50	12 67	
D. J. Draper team, 1 day, 5 hrs., at \$4.50	7 00	
P. F. Sullivan, labor repairing road machine	2 00	
Smith & Broderick lead pipe	54	
Chas. W. Savage, pole and evener	3 50	
Good Roads Co., material for repairing road machine	33 85	
Telephone to Boston	35	
C. B. Smith sharpening tools	90	
Salt	15	
Total		\$98 74

April 1914

A. D. Young 19 days, 6 hrs. at \$3.25	\$63 92	
Jack Whalen 15 days, 2 hrs. at \$2	30 44	
Jas. D. Young 9 days, 2 hrs. at \$1.50	13 83	
Oliver Pellerin 9 days at \$2	18 00	
Wilfred Pellerin 4 days, 6 hrs., at \$1.50	7 00	
Charles Carter 7 days at \$2	14 00	
A. D. Young team 17 days, 1 hr., \$4.50	77 00	
D. J. Draper team, 5 days, 4 hrs., \$4.50	24 50	
Pd. North East Metal Culvert Co. for 56 ft. metal culverts at 70c. per foot	39 20	
Freight on culverts	65	
D. E. Proctor for pipe and tools	4 57	
E. A. French shovel	75	
P. F. Sullivan repairing road machine	3 45	
Geo. M. Batchelder labor on roads	1 00	
Fred Willette axle grease	50	
Fred Clark, two corn cutters	70	

A. D. Young 28 loads gravel, 5c. a load	1 40
Freight on material for Good Roads	1 22
Joe Keyes labor on road	25
Geo. M. Batchelder labor	1 00

\$303 38

May 1914

A. D. Young 22 days, 3 hrs. at \$3.25	\$ 75 83
Jack Whalen 22 days, 1 hr. at \$2	44 22
James D. Young 22 days at \$1.75	38 50
Wilfred Pellerin 8 days, 3 hrs. at \$1.75	14 58
Oliver Pellerin 8 days at \$2	16 00
Charles Carter 20 days at \$2	40 00
Oscar Orsi 19 days, 2 hrs. at \$2	38 44
A. D. Young's team 23 days at \$4.50	103 50
D. J. Draper's team 19 days, 8 hrs., \$4	79 56
D. J. Draper 19 days, 8 hrs., \$2, running road machine	39 78
Dynamite and caps	8 00
Grease	50
Geo. M. Batchelder dragging road	\$4 25
Man raking stones	2 00
Bought of D Whiting & Sons 5 M, 38 ft bridge plank at 22 M	110 00

\$615 16

June 1914

A. D. Young 17 days, 1 hr. at \$3.25	\$55 60
Jack Whalen 15 days, 5 hrs. at \$2	31 11
James D. Young 18 days, 3 hrs., \$1.75	31 70
Chas. Carter 14 days, 7 hrs., \$2	29 56
Oscar Orsi 14 days at \$2	28 00
Charles Stewart 14 days at \$2	28 00
Walter T. Young, 5 days at \$2	10 00
Alex the Finn, 3 days at \$2	6 00
Young's team, 16 days, 3 hrs. at \$4.50	73 50
Draper's team, 6 days at \$4	24 00
Draper's team, 6 days at \$4.50	22 50
D. J. Draper, 6 days at \$2 (running road machine)	12 00
Patrick Sullivan, sharpening tools	2 27

Dynamite and caps	10 00	
John Sheldon's team, 4 days at \$4.50	18 00	
A. J. Foster's team, 1 day	3 50	
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July 1914

Alfred D. Young, 17 days at \$3.25	55 25	
Jack Whalen, 13 days, 2 hrs at \$2	26 45	
Jas. D. Young, 14 days 7 hrs at \$1.75	25 79	
Chas. Carter, 13 days 6 hrs at \$2	27 34	
Walter T. Young, 13 days 2 hrs at \$2	26 45	
Charles Stewart, 13 days 4 hrs at \$2	26 89	
Oscar Orai, 14 days at \$2	28 00	
Young's team, 15 days 4 hrs at \$4.50	69 50	
Draper's team, 12 days 6 hrs at \$4.50	57 00	
D. J. Draper, 1 day holding road m'ch'e	2 00	
John Merrill, 1 load gravel	25	
Grease for road machine	50	
Dynamite and caps	2 10	
C. B. Smith, repairing chains, hammers and tools	3 22	
D. Whiting & Sons, 3468 feet 3-inch plank at \$22 per M	76 29	
	<hr/>	\$ 427 03
For sidewalks in July:		
John Grafton, concrete sidewalk		\$ 139 50

August 1914

A. D. Young, 18 days 2 hrs at \$3.25	59 20	
Jack Whalen, 15 days at \$2	30 00	
James D. Young, 17 days at \$1.75	29 75	
Oscar Orai, 15 days at \$2	30 00	
Walter T. Young, 16 days at \$2	32 00	
Chas. Stewart, 15 days, 4 hrs at \$2	30 89	
Marsto Makea, 13 days at \$2	26 00	
Gusto Kenarnen, 9 days at \$2	18 00	
Oliver Pellerin, labor rolling road	1 42	
Young's team, 19 days at \$4.50	85 50	
Draper's team, 16 days	72 00	
D. J. Draper, holding road machine 4 days at \$2	8 00	
Dynamite and caps	10 00	

D. E. Proctor, for material	2 00	
Four bush-cutters at .35 each	1 40	
	<hr/>	\$ 436 16

September 1914

Alfred D. Young, 18 days 5 hrs at \$3.25	60 25	
Jack Whalen, 17 days 1 hr at \$2	34 22	
James D. Young, 17 days at \$1.75	29 75	
Charles Stewart, 11 days at \$2	22 00	
Oscar Orai, 17 days at \$2	34 00	
Gusto Makea, 16 days 1 hr at \$2	32 22	
Nesto Mekea, 10 days at \$2	20 00	
Young's team, 15 days 4 hrs at \$4.50	69 50	
Draper's team, 5 days at \$4.50	22 50	
Dynamite	2 10	
P. F. Sullivan, sharpening tools	1 90	
F. W. Clark, gallon oil	12	
	<hr/>	\$ 328 56

For sidewalks in September, (gravel)

A. D. Young, 2 days at \$3.25	6 50	
Jack Whalen, 2 days at \$2	4 00	
James D. Young, 2 days at \$1.75	3 50	
Oscar Oria, 2 days at \$2	4 00	
Charles Stewart, 2 days at \$2	4 00	
Walter T. Young, 2 days at \$2	4 00	
Marsto Makea, 2 days at \$2	4 00	
Young's team, 2 days at \$4.50	9 00	
Draper's team, 2 days at \$4.50	9 00	
25 loads of gravel at 10 cents a load	2 50	
	<hr/>	\$ 50 50

October 1914

Alfred D. Young 5 days, 4 hrs at \$3.25	\$17 65	
Jack Whalen 3 days at \$2	6 00	
Jas. D. Young 3 days at \$1.75	5 25	
Oscar Orai 3 days at \$2	6 00	
Gusto Makea 3 days at \$2	6 00	
Nesto Makea 3 days at \$2	6 00	
Young's team 3 days at \$4.50	13 50	
P. F. Sullivan	1 90	
D. E. Proctor	75	
	<hr/>	\$63 05

For sidewalks in October

Gravel sidewalks:

A. D. Young 2 days at \$3.25	6 50
Jack Whalen 2 days at \$2	4 00
Oscar Oria 2 days at \$2	4 00
Nesto Makea 2 days at \$2	4 00
Gusto Makea 2 days at \$2	4 00
Young's team 2 days at \$4.50	9 00
Oliver Pellerin 1 day at \$2.50	2 50
Draper's team, 1 day at \$4.50	4 50
Bought of Mrs. J. Putnam 20 loads gravel at 10c.	2 00
72 ft. board of D. Whiting & Sons	2 16
20 staples at 5 cents apiece	1 00

 \$43 66

November 1914

A. D. Young 19 days 2 hrs. at \$3.25	\$62 48
Jack Whalen 8 days, 7 hrs. at \$2	17 55
Jas. D. Young 13 days at \$1.75	22 75
Oscar Orai 7 days, 3 hrs. at \$2	14 67
Nesto Makea 9 days, 3 hrs. at \$2	18 67
Gusto Makea 6 days, 3 hrs. at \$2	12 67
Oliver Pellerin 11 days, 3 hrs. at \$2.50	28 33
Young's team 19 days, 7 hrs. at \$4.50	89 00
Dustin Draper 5 hrs holding rd. machine	1 11
Draper's team 5 hrs. at \$4.50	2 50
C. B. Smith repairing snow plow	1 50
Mrs. Hobbs 8 loads gravel, 10c. a load	80
F. W. Clark, 2 show shovels	90
D. E. Proctor hoe-axe and hoe	2 05
Stone for railings	2 50
Mr. Baker 20 loads gravel, 10c a load	2 00
Stone for railings	2 50

 \$281 98

December 1914

Alfred D. Young 15 days at \$3.25	\$48 75
Oliver Pellerin 10 days, 5 hrs. at \$2	21 11
Jas. D. Young 3 days, 1 hr. at \$1.75	5 43
Eddie Berube 6 days, 5 hrs. at \$2	13 11

Wilfred Pellerin 2 days, 3 hrs. at \$2	4 67	
Young's team 14 days at \$4.50	63 00	
Pipe from Pine Valley for railings	1 75	
Pipe from Amidon mill for railings	1 60	
Smith & Broderick labor and fittings	7 30	
Salt	15	
Straps for Alfred Willette for snow-		
plows	70	
P. F. Sullivan	1 40	
		\$168 97

January 1915

A. D. Young 16 days, 6 hrs. at . . 3.25	54 10	
Oliver Pellerin 12 days, 5 hrs. at \$2	25 11	
Young's team 14 days, 1 hr. at \$4.50	63 50	
Wilfred Pellerin 1 day, 7 hrs. at \$2	3 56	
Eddie Berube 3 days at \$2	6 00	
A. C. Young cutting and burning brush	5 00	
D. E. Proctor 140 salt	1 00	
Edw. J. Hopkins, saw	1 50	
Jas. D. Young, 5 hrs.	92	
Dynamite and caps	1 45	
P. F. Sullivan sharpening tools	1 80	
F. W. Clark, kerosene and pickhandles	3 12	
		\$167 06

Balance to Feb. 15, 1915

A. D. Young 9 days 4 hrs at \$3.25	\$30 65	
Oliver Pellerin 9 days at \$2	18 00	
Young's team 7 days 3 hrs. at \$4.50	33 00	
Oscar Orai, 3 days at \$2	6 00	
John the Finn 2 days at \$2	4 00	
Gusto Makea 2 days at \$2	4 00	
Casting for road machine	6 00	
Freight on casting	25	
Perham Chandler for labor	1 50	
Charles Brown for labor	75	
P. F. Sullivan	1 35	
Nails	10	
8 loads of gravel from H. W. & C. E.		
Frye	80	
E. A. French show shovel	45	

Proctor for printing reports	1 25	
Paper	25	
Frank Clement plowing sidewalks	2 00	
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		\$108 35
Grand Total		<hr/>
Bridge plank on hand, 6000 ft		\$3,396 21

Labor and Material on Bridge at Davisville, July 1914

A. D. Young 8 days 5 hrs at \$3.25	\$27 81	
Jack Whalen 8 days 5 hrs at \$2	17 11	
J. D. Young 8 days 7 hrs at \$1.75	15 28	
Charles Carter 8 days 7 hrs. at \$2	17 54	
Oscar Oria 8 days, 5 hrs. at 2	17 11	
Walter T. Young 8 days 5 hrs. at \$2	17 11	
Charles Stewart 8 days, 5 hrs. at \$2	17 11	
Young's team 8 days, 5 hrs at \$4.50	38 50	
Draper's team 7 days, 6 hrs at \$4.50	34 50	
Derrick, 11 days at \$1.25	13 75	
Bought 1 M plank of E. M. Purdy	22 00	
To complete bridge with plank	3 00	
Bought of D. E. Proctor nails	4 45	
Bought of F. W. Clark oil and nails	57	
Bought of D. Whiting & Sons lime, lumber and cement	11 24	
Bought 7 iron girders of United Con- struction Co.	124 00	
Bought of Samuel Sheldon 8 loads dirt	80	
P. F. Sullivan sharpening tools	2 33	
Waterboy 8 days, 30 cents a day	2 40	
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		\$386 61

Widening Road to Greenville, October and November

A. D. Young 7 days at \$3.25	\$22 75
Jack Whalen 7 days at \$2	14 00
Oscar Ocia 7 days at \$2	14 00
Nesto Makea 7 days at \$2	14 00
Gusto Makea 7 days at \$2	14 00
Young's team 7 days at \$4.50	31 50
Oliver Pellerin 3 days at \$2.50	7 50
Jas. D. Young 1 day at \$1.75	1 75

D. J. Draper, 1 day holding machine	2 00	
Draper's team 1 day at \$4.50	4 50	
Pipe for culvert	1 00	
		<hr/> \$127 50

Widening Road Above Clark's

A. D. Young 1 day at \$3.25	\$3 25	
Jack Whalen 1 day at \$2	2 00	
Oscar Oria 1 day at \$2	2 00	
Nesto Makea 1 day at \$2	2 00	
Gusto Makea 1 day at \$2	2 00	
One axe	1 00	
		<hr/> \$12 25

Widening Road up to Burton's

A. D. Young 2 days at \$3.25	\$6 50	
Jack Whalen 2 days at \$2	4 00	
Oscar Orai 2 days at \$2	4 00	
Nesto Makea 2 days at \$2	4 00	
Gusto Makea 2 days at \$2	4 00	
Young's team, 2 days at \$4.50	9 00	
Railings of Chas. Sheldon	4 25	
		<hr/> \$35 75
		<hr/> \$175 50

Widening Road Near Gibbon's

A. D. Young 5 days 6 hrs. at \$3.25	\$18 35	
Jack Whalen 5 days 6 hrs. at \$2	11 33	
Jas. D. Young 5 days 6 hrs. at \$1.75	9 85	
Chas. Stewart 5 days 6 hrs. at \$2	11 33	
Oscar Oria 5 days 6 hrs. at \$2	11 33	
Young's team 5 days 6 hrs. at \$4.50	25 50	
D. J. Draper 2 days holding machine	4 00	
Dynamite and caps	13 50	
Sharpening tools	3 50	
Fixing battery	3 00	
Fare to Boston	2 24	
		<hr/> \$150 76

On Road Near John Sheldon's, June 1914

A. D. Young 6 days at \$3.25	\$19 50	
Jack Whalen 6 days at \$2	12 00	
James D. Young 6 days at \$1.75	10 50	
Chas. Carter 5 days at \$2	10 00	
Oscar Orai 6 days at \$2	12 00	
Chas. Stewart 6 days at \$2	12 00	
Walter T. Young 6 days at \$2	12 00	
Alec the Finn 3 days at \$2	6 00	
A. D. Young team, 6 days at \$4.50	27 00	
D. J. Draper team, 5 days at \$4.50	22 50	
John Sheldon team, 2 days at \$4.50	9 00	
Dynamite and caps	20 00	
Using battery	1 50	
Sharpening tools	1 00	
Railing and rod	2 00	
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		\$177 00

CROSS STATE TRUNK LINE ACCOUNT.

May 2		
G. W. Bean, labor and money paid out	\$29 20	
N. J. Quigley, teams for survey	7 00	
Fred Graves, board for surveyors and engineer	35 50	
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		\$ 71 70
May 11:		
Labor	\$152 66	
Teams	84 25	
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		236 91
Mrs. W. E. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
May 18, Boston & Maine R R., freight	5 87	
May 18:		
Labor	\$226 08	
Teams	107 00	
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Mrs. W. F. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
S. A. Pierce, pay master and envelopes	4 25	
G. W. Bean, labor and material	5 80	
F. W. Clark, oil	22	
J. Broderick, signs	1 50	
D. E. Proctor, oil	12	

E. F. Richardson, twine	60	
C. B. Smith, repair on tools	1 70	
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		\$352 77
May 23:		
Labor	\$320 88	
Teams	144 00	
Capital Hardware Co., stone pickers	1 50	
A. D. Young, unloading coal	12 84	
S. A. Pierce, pay master and stationery	2 08	
B. & M. freight	5 87	
W. F. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
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		\$492 67
June 1:		
Labor	\$344 52	
Teams	162 00	
S. A. Pierce, pay master	2 00	
W. E. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
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	\$514 20	
Credit by over charge, B. & M. R. R.	5 87	
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		\$508 15
June 6:		
Labor	\$313 97	
Teams	151 00	
S. A. Pierce, pay master, account book	2 35	
Mrs. W. F. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
C. B. Smith, repairing tools	6 00	
H. H. Livermore, lumber	6 30	
F. W. Clark, dynamite, caps, oil	5 50	
G. W. Bean, making and delivering dump boards	4 22	
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		\$494 84
June 15:		
Labor	\$390 42	
Teams	220 50	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	4 21	
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		\$620 63
June 20:		
Labor	\$391 08	
Teams	242 00	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	

P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	4 25	
S. A. Pierce pay master	2 00	
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		\$644 83
June 29:		
Labor	\$384 04	
Teams	242 00	
D. Whiting & Sons, wood, cylinder oil		
and cement	10 93	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	3 30	
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		\$645 77
July 3:		
Labor	\$205 31	
Teams	123 50	
F. W. Clark, caps, fuse, dynamite, oil	9 38	
Mrs. W. F. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
Boston & Maine R. R., freight	15 60	
S. A. Pierce, pay master and teams	4 00	
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		\$363 29
July 13:		
Labor	\$333 49	
Teams	198 00	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	4 75	
S. A. Pierce, pay master and team	2 00	
C. W. Savage, hammer handles	90	
F. W. Clark, dynamite and fuse	10 91	
P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	6 00	
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		\$556 05
July 18:		
Labor	\$330 82	
Teams	273 00	
P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	2 70	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
W. H. Hammond, pick handles, express,		
and grinding 2 axes	1 35	
C. B. Smith, repairing tools	1 50	
Wilton Carriage Co. signs	1 50	
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		\$616 37
July 25:		
Labor	328 71	
Teams	256 00	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
G. W. Bean labor, teams, signs	8 00	

P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	2 60	
F. W. Clark, dynamite, caps & nails	2 88	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster	4 00	
		<hr/> \$ 607 69

August 1:

Labor	320 22	
Teams	261 00	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster & conveyance	2 00	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
D. Whiting & Son., cylinder oil, cement etc	5 70	
E. A. Richardson,	60	
A. D. Young, dynamite	1 05	
P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	2 60	
W. F. Wood, hard pan	4 70	
		<hr/> \$ 603 37

August 8:

Labor,	318 56	
Teams	316 50	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster	2 00	
W. H. Hammond, pick handles and exp.	2 85	
P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	1 78	
G. W. Bean, road drag	3 65	
J. F. Merrill, gravel	49 65	
		<hr/> \$ 700 49

August 17:

Labor	345 00	
Teams	296 50	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster and team	2 00	
P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	2 10	
		<hr/> \$ 651 10

August 24:

Labor	331 98	
Teams	270 50	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
F. W. Clark, oil, spikes, dynamite,		
caps, etc.	5 83	
P. F. Sullivan,	2 35	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster	2 00	
		<hr/> \$ 618 16

August 31:

Labor	273 53	
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Teams	199 50	
D. Whiting & Sons, cyl. oil & cement	6 60	
P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	2 75	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 00	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster	2 00	
C. B. Smith, repairing tools	1 37	
E. M. Purdy, lumber	7 50	
G. W. Bean, labor and material	9 00	
		<hr/> \$ 507 25

September 5:

Labor	363 50	
Teams	180 00	
John Merrill, gravel	58 80	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster and team	2 00	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
		<hr/> \$ 618 80

September 14:

Labor	295 14	
Teams	165 00	
E. M. Purdy, slabs	1 00	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster and conveyance	2 00	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	4 75	
P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	7 35	
		<hr/> \$ 475 24

September 21:

Labor	343 94	
Teams	196 00	
P. F. Sullivan	2 15	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster and team	2 00	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	

549 59

Credit, by duplicate bill of P. F. Sullivan,

2 75

\$ 546 84

September 26:

Labor	333 50	
Teams	204 00	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster and team	2 00	
P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	4 86	
G. W. Bean, making dump boards	2 75	
		<hr/> \$ 552 61

October 3:

Labor	314 10	
Teams	184 50	
Mrs. Foster, Hammond board	5 50	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster and team	2 00	
P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	3 70	
	<hr/>	\$ 509 80

October 10:

Labor	191 50	
Teams	58 50	
Mrss. Foster, Hammond board	4 50	
S. A. Pierce, team, stationery, paym'r	2 99	
D. Whiting & Sons, cylinder oil, cement and packing	6 40	
Goldsmith Estate, gravel	22 30	
John Merrill, gravel	21 20	
F. W. Clark, dynamite caps	1 80	
Carl Chandler, transporting help	11 50	
G. L. Tuttle, transporting help	11 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 331 69

October 17:

Labor	85 25	
Teams	22 50	
P. F. Sullivan, repairing tools	1 48	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster and team	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 111 23

October 24:

Labor	80 25	
Teams	22 50	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 104 75

October 31:

Labor	91 50	
Teams	27 00	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster and team	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 120 50

November 7:

Labor	73 50	
Teams	5 00	
S. A. Pierce, paymaster	2 00	
P. F. Sullivan, repairs of tools	3 59	
Goldsmith Estate, hardpan	50	
	<hr/>	\$ 84 59

October 3:

John Merrill, gravel	\$ 50 10
Buffalo Steam Roller (rental)	\$ 750 00
F. W. Clark, grease, spikes, lead, oil & fuse	\$ 20 36
D. Whiting & Sons, lumber and oil	\$ 183 45

 \$13,763 37

Bills paid by the state:

Engineering, survey & inspection	\$ 158 55
Culverts	\$ 393 16
Coal	\$ 147 50
Robeson Process Co., gluten	\$ 184 39
Wilton Water Works	\$ 3 00

 \$14,649 97
Recapitulation

Balance in town treasury Feb 15, 1914	\$2162 37
Balance in state treasury Feb 15, 1914	22 90
Town appropriations, 1915	5000 00
State appropriations 1915	5000 00
State appro., balance Feb 15, 1914	2061 00

 \$14,246 27

Credit by state

Robeson Process Co., gluten	\$ 184 39
State aid construction	111 97
State aid construction	58 50
State, credit by fr't. on gluten	15 60

 \$370 46

Credit by coal sold (uncollected)

 \$14,616 73

53 25

 \$14,669 98

ROAD MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT

(Labor on State Road)

April 1914

A. D. Young, 5 days, 5 hrs at \$3.25	\$ 18 05	
Jack Whalen, 5 days 4 hrs at \$2	10 89	
Jas. D. Young, 4 days 3 hrs. at \$1.50	6 50	
Young's team, 5 days at \$4.50	22 50	
Jos. A. Perrault, 1 day at \$2	2 00	
Wilfred Pellerin, 2 days 4 hrs at \$1.50	3 67	
Kennedy Bros. team, 4 hrs. at \$4.50	2 00	
Draper's team, 1 day 4 hrs. at \$4.50	6 50	
Charlie Carter, 1 day 8 hrs. at \$2	3 77	
Oliver Pelleren, 1 day 8 hrs. at \$2	3 77	
6 street brooms	3 00	
Pipes for culvert on state road	4 35	
C. B. Smith, repairing road drag	1 97	
		\$88 97

May 1914

Alfred D. Young, 26 hours	10 11	
James D. Young, 14 hours	2 57	
Oliver Pelleren, 9 hours	2 00	
Wilfred Pelleren, 11 hours	2 02	
Charlie Carter, 17 hours	3 78	
Jack Whalen, 8 hours	1 78	
Young's team, 19 hours at .50	9 50	
Draper's team, 13 hours at .50	6 50	
Freight on oil	7 07	
		\$ 45 33

June 1914

Alfred D. Young, 30 hours	11 68	
Jack Whalen, 18 hours	4 90	
Oscar Ocai, 20 hours	4 45	
Charlie Stewart, 20 hours	4 45	
Charlie Carter, 11 hours	2 45	
Young's team, 13 hours	6 50	
Draper's team, 24 hours	12 00	
James Young, 2 hours	37	
17 loads gravel at .25 per load	4 25	
		\$ 50 15

July 1914

Alfred D. Young, 22 hours	8 55	
Jack Whalen, 19 hours	4 22	
James D. Young, 8 hours	1 46	
Charlie Carter, 15 hours	3 33	
Charlie Steward, 15 hours	3 33	
Young's team, 25 hours	12 50	
Draper's team, 3 hours	1 50	
Walter T. Young, 14 hours	3 11	
		<hr/> \$ 38 00

August 1914

Alfred D. Young, 13 hours	5 07	
Charlie Steward, 13 hours	2 90	
Jack Whalen, 10 hours	2 23	
James D. Young, 5 hours	92	
Young's team, 13 hours	6 50	
3 loads of gravel at .25 per load	75	
		<hr/> \$18 37

September 1914

Alfred D. Young, 13 hours	5 05	
Jack Whalen, 15 hours	3 33	
Charlie Steward, 9 hours	2 00	
Oscar Oeai, 6 hours	1 33	
Gusto Makea, 6 hours	1 33	
Nesto Makea, 6 hours	1 33	
Draper's team, 3 hours	1 50	
Young's team, 4 hours	2 00	
		<hr/> \$ 17 87

October 1914

James Casey, 17 days at \$3.50	59 50	
Michael Burke, 17 days at \$2	34 00	
4 gallons kerosene	48	
Wire	27	
Broom	35	
3½ cords wood at \$1.75 a cord	6 03	
19 loads gravel at .25 from Moore	4 75	
3 loads gravel at .25 from Hendrickson	75	
James D. Young, 162 hours	33 25	
Alfred D. Young, 77 hours	29 95	
Jack Whalen, 54 hours	12 00	

Oscar Ocai, 68 hours	15 11	
Gusto Makea, 68 hours	15 11	
Nesto Makea, 72 hours	16 00	
Young's team, 81 hours	40 50	
Draper's team, 47 hours	23 50	
Oliver Pellerin, 27 hours	7 50	
		<hr/> \$ 299 05

November 1914.

James Casey 45 hrs	\$17 50	
M. F. Burke 40½ hrs	9 00	
Jas D. Young 54 hrs	10 50	
Wood, 1½ cords, \$1.75 cord	2 63	
5 loads of gravel, 25c. per load	1 25	
Oil, broom, lamp chimney	79	
Freight on 10 bbls. oil	6 38	
A. D. Young 18 hrs	7 00	
Jack Whalen 9 hrs	2 00	
Oscar Ocai 9 hrs	2 00	
Nesto Makea 18 hrs	4 00	
Oliver Pellerin 9 hrs	2 50	
Gusto Makea 9 hrs	2 00	
Young's team 18 hrs	9 00	
Draper's team 5 hrs	2 50	
		<hr/> \$79 05
Total		<hr/> \$636 83
Received from state	\$255 79	
State disbursements	104 85	
		<hr/> \$360 54

Report of Library Trustees

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Mary N. Abbot, Librarian. Bessie F. Bales, Asst. Li-
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Last year the five hundred appropriation was expended in rearranging the lighting plant and we ought to have the same this year as an emergency fund in part to make needed changes in the stack room and possibly to overcome some of the shrinkage in income due to the present unrest in the whole world. Last year the idea of an album containing cabinet size pictures of present and past citizens of the town was brought forward without any result as yet, but we feel when accomplished it will be duly appreciated. These sketches to contain the salient points of their lives in a condensed form, as for instance, the founder of the Wilton library who recently passed to a higher life, for whom great praise is due and given for the splendid library we now enjoy:

Rev. Aubrey Maitland Pendleton
Born in Maine, 1834
Died in Milford, 1914
Boston Latin School, 1852
Meadville Theological Seminary, 1858
Pastorates in Peterboro, Wilton and Milford
Founded the Wilton Public Library in 1872
The moving power that built the Unitarian churches
in Wilton and Milford
Philosopher, scholar, orator, philanthropist.
"Lest we forget."

Respectfully submitted,

D. E. PROCTOR,
For the Trustees.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

The Twenty-fifth Annual Report of the Librarian of
the Wilton Public Library for the year
ending Feb. 15, 1915.

Accessions

No. of volumes in the library Feb. 15,		
1914	9109	
Accessions by purchase	188	
Accessions by bound magazines	22	
Accessions by gifts	30	
No. of volumes Feb. 15, 1915	<hr/>	9,349

Circulation

Number of days open		151
Number of volumes given out	12,837	
Number of periodicals given out	2,864	
	<hr/>	15,701
Average circulation		104
Money received from fines		\$44 72

Books Donated

Mrs. Mary Peabody	1
Mr. John Perham	1
U. S. Government	8
N. H. State	3
Christian Science	13
Mrs. Frank Clark	2
Mr. Willis L. Moore	1
Bureau of R. R. News	1
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Periodicals Donated

Wilton Journal, Nashua Telegraph and The Protectionist by the publishers; The Christian Register by the Woman's Alliance; The Christian Endeavor World by the Y. P. S. C. E.; Our Dumb Animals by Mrs. Mary Langdell; The Boston Cooking School and others by Mrs. Starr Center; The New Hampshire Issue by the AntiSaloon League; The Spirit of Missions and The

Living Church by Mrs. Dascombe; The Christian Science Journal, The Christian Science Monitor and The Christian Science Sentinel by the Christian Science Church.

As many of our older books, which are still enjoyed, and as most of the newer ones are very poorly bound, it becomes a problem to know how to keep them in condition to be given out. So far we have, by persistent repairing, managed to keep the expense of rebinding very low. Now with many to be replaced and many to be rebound the cost must be much larger.

Ten years ago the circulation of books and magazines was 10,334 while the circulation for the past year has been 15,701, an increase of 5,367. We are glad to recognize a greater interest in the library both among grown people and children.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY N. ABBOT,

Librarian.

TREASURER'S REPORT

George G. Blanchard, Treasurer, in Account with Wilton
Public Library.

Dr.

Balance on hand from last year	\$ 60 67	
Town Appropriation	500 00	
Fines	44 7	
Concord & Montreal Div. on 4 shares	28 00	
C. H. Burns fund income	64 00	
D. A. Gregg fund:		
Penn. R. R.	\$240 00	
Chicago Jct. R. R.	264 00	
U. S. Steel Co.	175 00	
Newport & Fall River		
R. R.	150 00	
Western Union	120 60	
Pullman Co.	120 00	
Am. Sugar Refining Co.	140 00	
Am. Agricultural Chemical Co.	90 00	
	<u>\$1299 60</u>	
		\$1,996 99

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Miss Mary N. Abbot, salary	\$300 00
Miss B. F. Bales, Asst., salary	97 00
Miss Annie Tolford, Asst., salary	55 00
W. P. Putnam, janitor	360 00
D. Whiting & Sons, coal and supplies	146 03
G. E. Bales, insurance	50 63
P. J. Abbot & Co., light	56 73
Milford Lt. & Power Co., light	38 25
Milford Lt. & Power Co., lamps	28 40
D. E. Proctor, supplies	17 15
A. D. Young, labor	29 00
Wilton Telephone Co.	18 45
Gay'ord Bros., supplies	6 30
M. N. Abbot, supplies	2 57
W. E. Foster, repairs	2 58
Smit & Broderick, repairs	4 28
J. H. Hoag, repairs	5 00

Gregg & Son, repairs	1 00	
D. Sumner, repairs	4 00	
E. M. Purdy, wood	12 00	
R. F. Pritchard, labor	2 10	
Wilton Water Works	6 00	
Indian Head Bank, safe box	5 00	
D. Whiting & Sons, books paid for	7 39	
Souhegan Electric Co., electric light installation	497 24	
Balance on hand	244 89	
		\$1,996 99

George G. Blanchard, Treasurer, in Account with the
George A. Newell Fund.

Dr.

Concord & Montreal R. R. dividend on 18 shares	\$126 00
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Cr.

Books purchased	\$126 00
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George G. Blanchard, Treasurer, in Account with the
George O. Whiting Fund.

Dr.

Interest on \$5,000 N. Y. N. H. & H. bonds	\$200 00
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Cr.

Books purchased	\$200 00
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George G. Blanchard, Treasurer, in Account with the
Clara J. Lewis Fund.

Dr.

Dividend on 20 shares Chicago Jct. R. R. Pref. Jan. 1st, 1915	\$30 00
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Cr.

Books and Magazines purchased	\$30 00
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GEO. G. BLANCHARD,

Treasurer.

Approved,

D. E. PROCTOR,
GEO. E. BALES.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

School Committee, Superintendent of Schools, Principal
of the High School, Music Teacher, District
Treasurer and Truant Officer.

OF THE

TOWN OF WILTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE

For the Year Ending

FEBRUARY 15, 1915

SCHOOL BOARD AND OFFICERS.

School Board

STANLEY H. ABBOT, Chairman,
JESSIE L. HATCH, Secretary,
H. D. CHEEVER.

Superintendent of Schools

LEONARD S. MORRISON

District Treasurer

MRS. NELLIE B. CHEEVER.

Truant Officer

WARREN P. PUTNAM.

High School Janitor

ALFRED WELLS.

PRESENT TEACHING FORCE

Frank E. Hooper	Principal of High School
Miss Gladys Greenleaf	Assistant, High School
Miss Marian R. Thompson	Assistant, High School
Miss Alice F. Herlihy	Grades VIII and VII
Miss Bessie Barrett	Grades VII and VI
Miss Katherine Mannion	Grades V and IV
Miss Bertha Blood	Grades III and II
Miss B. Marjory Haskell	Grade I
Miss Ethel Brockway	Intervale School
Miss May Batson	Center School
Miss Esther Winslow	West Wilton School
Miss Ellen C. Doherty	Abbott Hill School
Miss Marion Hartshorn	Davisville School
Miss Katherine Twomey	Shedd School
Miss Agnes Garland	Special Teacher of Music

SPRING CALENDAR, 1915 AND 1916

Spring Term

High school, 11 weeks, from Monday April 5 to Friday June 18, 1915.

All other schools, 10 weeks, from Monday, April 5 to Friday, June 11, 1915.

Fall Term

All schools 15 weeks, from Tuesday, Sept. 7 to Wednesday, Dec. 22, 1915.

One-half week recess at Thanksgiving, from Wednesday, Nov. 24th, to Monday, Nov. 29th.

Winter Term

All schools 11 weeks, from Monday, Jan. 3, 1916, to Friday, March 17, 1916.

No School Signals

Session of High School and Grammar School every school day.

Three long blasts of the whistle of not over five seconds duration each, sounded twice—10 seconds—given at 8 o'clock A. M. indicates that there will be no sessions of schools in the 6 lower grades for that forenoon, the same signal given at 12.30 P. M. governs afternoon sessions.

List of Graduates from Wilton High School, June 1914.

Esther Cooley	James Doherty
Charles Durgin	Clarence Russell
Eileen Shea	James Wing
Claiborne Young	Maybelle Young
Mildred Harper	

List of Graduates from the Eighth Grade, June 1914.

Gladys Burns	Annie Burns
Ruth Carkin	Francis French
Paul Herlihy	Marie Herlihy
Edith Herlihy	Harry McGrath
Robert McGrath	Louise Osbornie
Sadie Perley	Lester Proctor
Clarence Pinkham	Pauline Smith
Amy Tarbell	Edwina Weston
Ethel Wheeler	Edith Abbott
Cosette Frye	Bernice Frye
Vernon Greeley	Myles Goldsmith
Marion Purdy	Ruby Reed
Florence Rideout	Annie Thompson

**Roll of Perfect Attendance for School Year Ending in
June 1914.**

Frances Herlihy	Florence Wheeler
Carl Graves	Marie Herlihy
Edith Herlihy	Louise Osborne
Paul Herlihy	Lester Proctor
Alice Herlihy	Nora Hurley
Mary Gettigan	Mary McGrath
Wilfred Berube	Helen Hurley
Arthur Martin	Henry Parady
Abbie Shea	Leo Soucy
Walter Herlihy	Cosette Frye
Leslie Frye	Margaret Frye

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

To the Citizens of Wilton:

We are now maintaining in addition to the High and five grades, schools at Davisville, West End, Center, Intervale, Abbot Hill and the so-called "Shedd School" in Milford for Wilton children in the southeast corner of the town. In addition to these we have provided private tuition for children living at the farm of Mr. S. C. Heald in the Southwest corner of the town, it being the most economical way out of a local situation.

The Board feels that our present teaching force is of good quality, faithful and earnest. Of the changes other than those occasioned by voluntary resignation, we can only say that they seemed necessary for the good of the service.

Our new supervisor, Mr. Leonard S. Morrison, is with the approval of the Board, carrying into effect plans for making education more practical and in line with the needs of the ordinary citizen. To this end a course in domestic art is already in operation in our High School, and it is hoped soon to provide agricultural and manual training courses.

The Board are well aware that our town has been generous in school outlay. None regret more the need of asking for increased appropriation. The reasons are in brief: The higher standard of wages to teachers, due partly to increased cost of board; the decreased earnings of invested school funds; extra number of schools maintained, and the fact that the electric lighting of the school house was paid for under the general appropriation though a vote was passed making a special appropriation therefor. Also as a measure of economy we did one year have the vocal music of the schools taught by our regular staff. As this was not satisfactory to the citizens we have returned to the former method of employing a special teacher.

It should be noted that the town's appropriation has not increased since 1908. In the meantime the

valuation has risen from \$948,852 to \$1,403,212.58 in last year's report. The Wilton School District is required by law to raise \$2,850.00. In order to obtain state aid we must raise not less than \$3.40 on each \$1,000.00 of equalized valuation, amounting to \$6,213.00. Our appropriation for six years past has been \$6,500.00, and we now believe that not less than \$500 additional is absolutely necessary, while if the town desires to adopt the new courses as above suggested \$1,000.00 additional will be necessary. Of this we would estimate:

For flags and appurtenances	\$30 00
For text books and supplies	800 00
For salaries of school officials	250 00
For general maintenance	6,420 00

Respectfully submitted,

STANLEY H. ABBOT,

JESSIE L. HATCH,

H. D. CHEEVER,

School Board of Wilton.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF WILTON SCHOOL
DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR ENDING
FEBRUARY 15, 1915.

Dr.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1914	\$ 462 12
Rec'd. from R. M. Moore, Treas.	6,500 00
Fred Carlin, tuition	4 50
H. R. Chase, tuition	7 00
Elmer B. Parker, tuition	7 00
Charles Batchelder, tuition	9 50
Town of Mason, tuition	16 50
Fred H. Tarbell, tuition	11 50
Town of Harrisville, tuition	36 00
Town of Milford, tuition	38 25
Town of Temple, tuition	58 00
Town of Greenfield, tuition	72 00
Town of Lyndeboro, tuition	238 00
Miss Burlingame, refund	12 00
Paper sold	1 20
Hannah Howard Fund	70 00
Dog tax	187 47
Literary Fund	208 56
Spaulding Fund	450 00
State refund for schools	1358 20
	<hr/> \$ 9741 80

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AMOUNT PAID INSTRUCTORS

C. O. Davis	\$616 65
F. E. Leonard	371 61
William E. Hooper	47 22
Beula C. Edwards	256 00
Lillian E. Steele	208 34
Agnes Burlingame	50 00
Marian Thompson	246 90
Gladys Greenleaf	360 00
Alice F. Herlihy	480 00
Bessie M. Barrett	396 00
Margaret E. Barry	156 00
Katherine Mannion	206 00

Bertha L. Blood	396 00	
B. Marjorie Haskell	399 00	
Agnes Garland	200 24	
Marjorie J. Tirrell	126 00	
Katherine Twomey	171 00	
Dora Ferguson	140 00	
Mollie Chase	80 00	
Mary Batson	143 00	
Eva Ladd	154 00	
Esther Winslow	200 00	
Marion M. Hartshorn	385 00	
Iola Tuttle	154 00	
Mrs. Grace Rowland	77 00	
Ethel Brockway	110 00	
J. Almira Forbes	154 00	
Ellen C. Doherty	220 00	
Helen L. Heald	22 50	
		<hr/> \$6,526 46

SUPERINTENDENT

Ray H. Page, Treas.,	\$272 00	
H. W. Lewis, Treas.	402 00	
		<hr/> \$674 00
		<hr/> \$7,200 46

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid for books	\$226 36
Express, freight and carting	24 32
Telephone and telegraph	25 92
Cleaning school houses	24 70
Chairs and tables	27 50
Stove	18 55
Coal and wood	319 24
Labor and repairs	247 51
Supplies	395 36
Wilton Water Works	25 75
Board and lodging of Bertha Batchelder	52 00
Rent of hall	3 67
Milford L. & P. Co., light service	13 25
Insurance	17 00

Sewing machine	21 00	
Miscellaneous expenses	45 78	
	<hr/>	\$1488 01

JANITORS

Alfred Wells	\$480 00	
Rural janitors	77 40	
	<hr/>	\$557 40

TRANSPORTATION

Andrew Tighe, pupils	\$75 00	
Charles White, music teacher	50 00	
Charles Kidder, music teacher	25 00	
N. J. Quigley, music teacher	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$154 00

SALARIES

Stanley Abbot, member school board	\$60 00	
Jessie L. Hatch, member school board	60 00	
H. D. Cheever, member school board	60 00	
Warren P. Putnam, truant officer	25 00	
W. P. Putnam, enumerating census	14 00	
Nellie B. Cheever, Treas.	35 00	
	<hr/>	\$254 00

SUMMARY

Paid Instructors	\$6,526 46	
Superintendent	674 00	
Miscellaneous	1,488 01	
Janitors	557 40	
Transportation	154 00	
Salaries	254 00	
	<hr/>	\$9,653 87
Cash balance Feb. 15, 1914	\$ 462 12	
Cash received	9,279 68	
	<hr/>	\$9,741 80
Cash paid Teachers	\$6,526 46	
Expenses	3,127 41	

Balance Feb. 15, 1915 87 93
\$9,741 80

Respectfully submitted,
 NELLIE B. CHEEVER,
 Treasurer.

We have examined the above account of the treasurer of the School District of Wilton, N. H., and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

WM. H. EMERSON,
 A. O. BARKER,
 February 23, 1915. Auditors of Wilton.

Hannah Howard School Fund.

Your trustees report that the above fund is invested as follows:

2—\$1000 Concord & Montreal R. R.
 3½ per cent. bonds \$1,839 72

Income

Interest \$ 70 00

Payments

Mrs. Nellie Cheever, district treasurer \$ 70 00

Respectfully submitted

D. E. PROCTOR

GEORGE G. BLANCHARD

I. S. WHITING

Trustees

The Spalding Fund

Your trustees report the above fund invested as follows:

Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R.

1st mortgage 4's \$ 5000 00

(Interest at 4 percent due from Oct 4, 1914)

Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R.R.

joint 4's 2000 00

(Interest at 4 percent due from Jan 1, 1915)

Loan C. F. Melendy real es'te mor'ge	1500 00	
(Interest at 6 percent due from Feb. 1, 1915)		
10 shares American Tel. & Tel. Co		
@ 136	1360 00	
(Dividends paid to Jan. 15 1915)		
Deposits in Amoskeag S'v'gs Bank, Man-		
chester, N. H.	140 00	
(Interest paid to July 1, 1913)		
	—————	\$ 10,000 00

Income

Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe. R. R.	\$200 00	
Chi., Burlington & Quincy R.R.	80 00	
C. F. Melendy	90 00	
American Tel & Tel Co.,	80 00	
	—————	\$ 450 00

Payments

Mrs. Nellie Cheever, district treasurer	\$ 450 00
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Respectfully submitted,

D. E. PROCTOR
 GEORGE G. BLANCHARD
 I. S. WHITING

Trustees

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Wilton, N. H., February 15, 1915.

To the School Board, Wilton, New Hampshire:

I hereby submit the annual report of the Superintendent of Schools.

When we consider the standing of the schools, we find much cause for satisfaction. The buildings are on the whole excellent for their purposes; the teachers are loyal and faithful workers to whom much credit is due; the equipment is sufficient for our needs, if no new courses were contemplated; and finally the children are diligent and for the most part are doing their best.

Last September it seemed best to the School Board to establish a course in Domestic Arts in the high school. This department has been under the capable direction of Miss Gladys Greenleaf and her success has been such as to justify the extension of cooking and sewing to the seventh and eighth grades and the establishment of Manual training and Agricultural Courses in our schools. By a reorganization this could be done with little increase except for the equipment to begin the work. In other words the number of teachers employed need not be increased. If the finances of the District will permit, I recommend that these courses be established.

In order to ascertain whether Wilton were unduely extravagant, I have used the statistics of fifteen towns with about the same number of pupils and compared their averages with the corresponding items of Wilton. These statistics are taken from the official report of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction and the fifteen towns include practically all that have conditions similar to our own. The towns are Ashland, Charlestown, Colebrook, Enfield, Farmington, Hanover, Woodsville, Hillsboro, Hopkinton, Marlboro, Newmarket, Peterboro, Whitefield, Hinsdale and Lancaster. Their average enrollment was 319, Wilton 326. Their average revenue was \$10,328.18, Wilton \$9,202.61; their average cost per pupil for the year \$32.97, Wilton \$30.85; average cost per teacher \$819.49, Wilton \$648.42; average number of weeks in school year 35.42; Wilton

33.33; average wage of grade teacher per month \$45.91; Wilton \$43.20; average salary of High School Principal \$1228.20, Wilton \$850-1000; average rate of assessment for school purposes \$6.83, Wilton \$5.00.

I realize that we all have other expenses and am pleased to submit the whole question with no other comment than that we must expect to lose competent teachers as long as our salaries are lower than those in other towns similarly situated.

Appended to my report is a statistical table for the last school year. I would invite your attention to the excessive tardiness and the poor attendance records and suggest to the parents that it might be worth while to see that the pupils obtain all possible benefit from the schools provided.

Respectfully submitted,

LEONARD S. MORRISON,

Superintendent.

STATISTICAL TABLE FOR THE YEAR ENDING IN JUNE, 1914.

School	Teacher	Weeks of School	Enrollment	Av. Membership	Av. Attendance	Per cent. of attendance	Tardiness	Perfect Attendance	Visits by Supt.	Other Visitors	Non-resident Pupils
High Grammar	C. O. Davis	36	64	57.8	54.7	94.6	492	3	19	31	13
Second Grammar	Alice F. Herlihy	34	32	29.2	28.2	96.5	28	3	15	76	5
Intermediate	Bessie M. Barrett	34	38	35.6	33.3	92.8	43	4	15	76	4
Second Primary	Margaret E. Barry	35	35	32.0	30.2	94.4	4	6	17	118	0
First Primary	Bertha L. Blood	35	46	38.6	34.9	90.0	137	0	13	59	1
Abbott Hill	B. Marjorie Haskell	34	36	28.7	24.5	85.5	82	1	13	64	0
Intervale	Jennie A. Forbes	35	8	6.6	6.4	97.0	35	0	11	42	1
West Wilton	Dorothea Ferguson	35	28	27.0	23.3	85.8	94	0	10	71	0
Center	Eva F. Ladd	33	12	10.3	10.0	97.3	7	3	14	36	0
Davisville	Iola C. Tuttle	35	15	12.3	11.2	91.2	45	0	14	91	0
Shedd	Marion M. Hartshorn	35	7	6.1	5.6	91.8	11	0	8	30	0
	Martha J. Tirrell	19	10	7.6	6.2	81.0	124	0	6	1	1
Totals for the town.		333	331	291.8	268.5	91.6	1100	20	155	695	25

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Doubtless all who read the report of last year are familiar with the aims and methods in our music work. But there are some facts which I think will be interesting to you.

I am especially pleased with the High School work. We have done twice the amount of chorus work done a year ago. This has been possible because of the better cooperation and school spirit shown by the chorus. A class in the History of Music has been introduced in connection with the Domestic Science Course. We are hoping that before many years some things in Music Appreciation may be given with the chorus work. First, that the pupil may begin to know and understand some of the best things in music. Second, that they may learn how to listen to good music. Third, to help cultivate a taste for the best music. There is nothing which so helps us appreciate the best things as hearing them over and over again. And for that reason we are very pleased and grateful for the use of the Victor machine which the pupils of our grades recently earned and purchased.

The grade work is in good condition and very interesting. We are beginning two part singing in the fourth and fifth grades one term earlier than last year and the pupils are responding beautifully. Almost all those who were monotoners last year are singing now and a first grade boy who could sing but one tone is among our best singers. It is wonderful how much it is possible to help those pupils. We are also spending a few minutes each week helping those who find the work hard, have been absent, or come to us from other schools.

The districts seem to enjoy their work and it compares favorably with that of the village schools. The progress in all Wilton schools is equal to that made by those of the same grade in Keene.

I want to thank the teachers and all connected with the school work for their hearty cooperation and I cor-

dially invite parents and all interested in music to visit
me at any time

Respectfully submitted,

AGNES GENIEVE GARLAND,

Supervisor of Music.

REPORT OF TRUANT OFFICER.

To the School Board of Wilton, N. H.:

I herewith present my report of services as truant officer for the year ending February 15th, 1915.

I have investigated about twenty cases of absences from school the past year.

There has been but a very few cases of genuine truancy.

It is the same old condition as in years past, lack of proper clothing and shoes. In some cases children were out of school on account of sickness and held doctor's certificates. To a large per cent. of cases it may well be laid to the parents in allowing the children to stay away from school without any good reason.

In quite a number of instances of tardiness reported it was found that the children were started from home with ample time to get to school in season but stayed to play on the way until past the hour for school.

Perhaps a little more zeal on the part of the teacher would remedy this fault.

I would again remind the parents that there is a heavy fine imposed for keeping children from school without sufficient cause.

WARREN P. PUTNAM,
Truant Officer.

SEXTON'S REPORT

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914.

Date of Death.	Name of Deceased.	Yrs	Age Mos	Dys	Place of Death.	Place of Burial.
Jan. 16	Henry L. Kecey	56	9	10	Wilton	Wilton
Feb. 6	Francis R. FitzGerald	2	5	23	Wilton	Wilton
" 7	Ella H. Putnam	59	4	6	Nashua	Wilton
" 14	Mildred A. Brown .....	..	7	27	Wilton	Wilton
" 17	Julia O'Connor	61	4	..	Milford	Wilton
" 28	Mary A. K. Tyler	94	10	..	Wilton	Nashua
Mar. 2	Beatrice A. Clark .....	..	..	4	Wilton	Peterboro ...

The above deaths were in care of J. E. FitzGerald.

" 7	Infant Gregg .....	..	..	..	Nashua	Wilton
" 28	Melissa J. Tripp	71	2	5	Wilton	Wilton
Apr. 4	James M. McCarthy ..	26	..	..	Grasmere	Wilton
" 20	Cordelia Sheldon	90	9	3	Wilton	Wilton
May 9	Frank A. Dodge	57	1	..	Keene	Wilton
" 14	Caleb S. Goldsmith ..	66	10	15	Wilton	Wilton
" 15	Adelle Lesveque	84	7	3	Wilton	Wilton
" 20	Mary A. Fields	74	..	..	Mont Vernon...	Wilton
" 23	Charles H. Holt	69	6	4	Tyngsboro, Mass	Wilton
June 15	Harold L. Avery	25	2	29	Wilton	Wilton
" 23	George L. Daniels	65	..	..	Concord, N. H.	Wilton
July 6	Peter J. Bertheaume ..	53	5	12	Wilton	Wilton
" 10	Adelle Simmeneau	4	4	1	Wilton	Wilton
" 17	Frank J. Fairfield	40	9	12	Milford	Wilton
" 19	Ellen F. Flynn	37	5	5	Chelsea, Mass...	Wilton
Aug. 15	Joseph E. LaPonsie ..	..	6	17	Wilton	Wilton
" 17	Joseph Cullinan	67	..	..	Wilton	Wilton
Sept. 7	Sarah A. Rose	75	6	22	Wilton	Lyndeboro ..
" 19	Lydia B. Edwards	66	6	16	Wilton	Wilton
" 29	Gardner Blanchard	85	..	30	Wilton	Wilton
Oct. 4	Clarinda Hutchinson ..	81	9	22	Somerville, Mass	Wilton
" 13	Infant Simeneau .....	..	..	..	Wilton	Wilton
" 14	Ora Simeneau	26	..	..	Wilton	Wilton
" 29	Margaret Maine	75	..	..	Milford	Wilton
Nov. 1	Emma F. Tarbell	80	4	15	Lyndeboro	Wilton
Dec. 5	Nancie M. Sheldon	87	6	10	Wilton	Wilton
" 8	Eilene Rose Ducey .....	..	4	8	Wilton	Wilton
" 16	Ella M. Mahoney	34	2	..	Wilton	Wilton

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD W. HESSELTON,
Sexton.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WILTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914.

Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition.		Name of the Child (if any.)	Color.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male.	Female.		Living or still-born.	No. of child, 1st, 2d, etc.							
Jan. 18	Wilton			Soloski						Wilton	Mill op'rati'e	Russia	Russia
Jan. 29	"	M	F	Joseph Edward	L	3	Joseph Soloski	Tetronella Wasiloski	"	"	Painter	Canada	Lawrence, Mass.
Feb. 2	"		F	Katherine Louise	L	1	Anthony Lapensky	Mary Barrett	"	"	Mechanic	New Brunswick	Milford
Feb. 11	"		F	Christine Mabel	L	7	Arthur W. Hodgen	Mary A. Stanton	"	"	Clerk	Scotland	Scotland
" 26	"	M	F	Ray Arthur	L	2	Arphibald Thompson	Katherine Gurrie	"	"	Clerk	Wilton	England
" 27	"		F	Beatrice Addie	L	2	George S. Proctor	Ivy Balmforth	"	"	Laborer	Gloucester, Mass.	Peterboro
April 7	"		F	Laura Goodrich	L	1	Warren L. Clark	Martha E. Briggs	"	"	Laborer	Fitchburg	Minerville, N. Y.
" 30	"		F	Rosella Alice	L	11	Herbert Goodrich	Laura Miller	"	"	Laborer	Putney, Vt.	Canada
May 8	"		F	Victoria Ella	L	13	George A. Barry	Rosanna Harmon	"	"	Carpenter	Mason	Hancock
" 14	"		F	Messier	L	1	Henry V. Tuttle	Nettie E. May	"	"	Weaver	Lowell, Mass.	Manchester
" 21	"	M	F	Leon James	L	1	Amaziah J. Redfield	Ida Powder	"	"	Laborer	Athens, Vt.	Temple
" 21	"	M	F	Mildred Annette	L	3	Stephen R. Boutwell	Grace Fish	"	"	Laborer	Temple	Temple
June 15	"	M	F	Joseph George	L	2	George Blauquette	Anna Pellitier	"	"	Mill op'rati'e	Milford	Wilton
July 1	"		F	Dorothy	L	1	Harold D. Cheever	Nellie Balmforth	"	"	Lawyer	Greenfield	England
" 21	"		F	Honor Agnes	L	2	William L. Stanton	Julia F. Brennan	"	"	Merchant	Wilton	Wilton
Aug. 1	"	M	F	Eilene Rose	L	1	George E. Lavigne	Josephine Ducey	"	"	Mill op'rati'e	Cohoes, N. Y.	Temple
" 8	"		F	Fred Edward	L	3	Joseph LeFebre	Ameline Ducey	"	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada
" 9	"	M	F	Anttan	L	1	Anttan Luoma	Rydgine Picard	"	"	Laborer	Canada	Finland
" 29	"	M	F	Barbara	L	4	Charles Sheldon	Rosa Labelle	"	"	Farmer	Wilton	Finland
Sept. 19	"	M	F	Harold Caleb	L	6	Henry G. Whitney	Mary A. Mercer	"	"	"	"	Quebec, Can.
Oct. 12	"	M	F	Joseph Kopcho	L	1	Luther M. Langdell	Annie Kopcho	"	"	"	"	Lonsdale, R. I.
" 13	"	M	F	Infant Shummeau	S	1	Alphonse's Shummeau	Ora Martin	"	"	Auctioneer	"	Pittsburg, Pa.
" 13	"		F	Ethel Katherine	L	3	Oscar Ojaini	Katri Lamoni	"	"	"	Canada	Canada
" 14	"	M	F	Arthur Andrew	L	10	Charles E. Elliott	Emma R. Wilson	"	"	Laborer	Finland	Finland
" 18	"	M	F	Sylvia May	L	2	William Wesaja	Mary Watterson	"	"	"	Nashua	Greenfield
" 18	"		F	Alice Mildred	L	11	Alphonse Soucy	Josephine Derosa	"	"	"	Finland	Finland
" 20	"		F	Albert Jabez	L	3	Clarence P. Conrad	Anna J. Nordquist	"	"	Mill op'rati'e	Nova Scotia	Canada
" 31	"	M	F	Edna Katherine	L	3	George H. Smith	Elizabeth B. Brennan	"	"	Plumber	Milford	Sweden
Dec. 16	"	M	F	Maynard Stone	L	1	Erland G. Batchelder	Bertha G. Stone	"	"	Farmer	Wilton	Somerville, Mass.
" 23	"	M		Kelley	L	1	Joseph Devine	Mae G. Kelley	"	"	Mill op'rati'e	Lawrence, Mass.	Ashtelot, N. H. .

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EDWIN A. FRENCH, Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WILTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
Jan. 20	Wilton	Harry R. Greenleaf.	Wilton	23	All White.	Painter.	Wilton	Albert and Hannah.	MarlboroMass.	Painter.	1	E. M. Grant, clergyman, Wilton
" 27	Somerville, Mass	Clara A. Gay.	Milford	25	"	Housekeeper.	Canada	Israel and Alphonsine	Canada	Laborer	1	Thomas Redden
March 3	Wilton	Patrik J. Murray.	Wilton	56	"	Mill operative.	St Johns Mass Vt	William and Ann	Ireland	"	2	Priest, Wilton
"	"	Erhard L. Scare.	"	46	"	Farmer	Wilton	Christopher	"	Farmer.	1	Chester A. Drummond
April 30	Wilton	Erland G. Batchelder	Somerville Mas	25	"	At home	Somerville Mas	George and Isabelle	"	"	1	clergyman, Somerville
"	"	Bertha G. Stone.	Wilton	37	"	Chauffeur	Canada	Israel and Alphonsine	Canada	Gardener	2	John Henry Wilson, clergyman, Wilton
May 5	Wilton	Peter E. Gay	"	31	"	Mill operative.	Wallingford Ct	Patrick and Fanny	Ireland, Claremont	Florist	1	clergyman, Wilton
"	"	Mollie McKenna.	"	25	"	Mill operative.	Milford, N. H.	John and Mary	Lowell, Ireland	Mill operativ	1	Thomas Redden, Wilton
July 7	Wilton	Charles Ducey	"	31	"	At home	England	George and Susan	England	Retired.	1	Priest, Wilton
"	"	Veronica Varley	"	25	"	Mill operative.	England	Philip and Mary	England	Quarryman.	1	Roy Rolf Gilson, Wilton
Sept. 2	Wilton	Maude Broome.	"	25	"	At home	England	Edward and Annie	Milford, Hollis.	Retired.	1	Joseph H. Twichell, clergyman, Milford
" 15	Wilton	Emily David. Head	Milford	24	"	Ass't Supt Mfg.	Milford, N. H.	Edward and Mabel	New Lond n Wilton	Man Fur Mfg	1	clergyman, Milford
"	"	Victor Martel	Wilton	23	"	At home	Wilton	Peter and Mary	Manchester Quebec	Carpenter	1	Roy Rolf Gilson, clergyman, Milford
" 20	Wilton	Loretta Kelley	"	21	"	Carpenter	Lowell, Mass.	Charlotte	England & W. H. Pt	Weaver.	1	clergyman, Milford
"	"	George L. Tuttle	"	26	"	Teamster	Wilton	Henry and Nettie	Mason & Hancock	Carpenter	1	E. M. Grant.
" 22	Wilton	John R. Swinerton	New Boston	27	"	Housekeeper.	New Boston N H	Frank and Mary	New Boston	Farmer	2	clergyman, Wilton
"	"	Mabel L. Hurner	Milton, N. H.	73	"	Retired.	Milton, N. H.	John and Ann	Maine, Vermont	Doctor	1	E. M. Grant.
" 29	Wilton	John R. Swinerton	N'wp n T N 'ws	21	"	Teacher	Greenfield, Mass	Christopher and Mary	Greenfield Mass.	"	1	clergyman, Wilton
" 24	Reading, Mass	Annie H. Newton.	Wilton	51	"	Blacksmith	Clements Pt N S	Charles and Mary	Nova Scotia.	Farmer.	1	Ray S. Hubbard, clergyman, Braintree, Mass
" 25	Wilton	Ernest A. Wright.	Reading M'ss	27	"	Teacher	Franklin Mass	Robert and Jennie	New Ha'p Vermont	Printer.	1	James P. Harper, clergyman, Wilton
"	"	Lynan E. Fernald.	Lowell, Mass	21	"	Foreman	Barnet, Vt	Elroy and Alice	Wilton, Milford N H	Millwright.	1	E. M. Grant,
Oct. 6	Wilton	Alice H. Frye	Wilton	28	"	Teacher	"	Will and Minnie.	Wilton	Wheelwright	1	clergyman, Wilton
"	"	Frank N. Gray.	"	28	"	Clerk.	"	John and Martha	Mass., Nova Scotia	Carpenter.	1	W. H. Forbes, clergyman, Lakeville, Mass
" 7	Lakeville, Mass	Martha B. Beals.	Manchester	21	"	Waitress	"	Albert and Jennie.	Wilton, Dublin	Farmer.	1	James P. Harper, clergyman, Wilton
" 14	Wilton	Perley J. Abbott	Wilton	48	"	Machinist	Lee, N. H	Washington & Jennie	"	Clergyman.	1	James P. Harper, clergyman, Wilton
"	"	Jennie A. Forbes.	Lakeville, Mass	28	"	Furniture Mfg	England	Henry and Margaret.	England	Furniture Mfg	1	James P. Harper, clergyman, Wilton
" 14	Wilton	John G. Bainforth.	Wilton	24	"	Housekeeper.	Wilton	Dusten and Carrie.	Greenfield New Bk	Teamster.	2	James P. Harper, clergyman, Wilton
" 14	Wilton	Gertrude F. Draper.	"	69	"	Contractor	Wilton	William and Evelina	Wilton	Carpenter	3	James P. Harper, clergyman, Wilton
" 23	Wilton	Henry L. Emerson	Concord, N H	39	"	Housekeeper.	Goffstown, N H	Robert and Caroline	Goffstown Litchfield	Farmer.	1	Thomas Redden, Wilton
" 23	Wilton	Hannah L. Clark	Wilton	45	"	Laborer	Canada	Onesime and Virginie	Canada	"	1	clergyman, Wilton
" 25	Wilton	Joseph E. Lemay	Wilton	30	"	Mill operative	Wilton	Noel and Marguerite	Canada	Laborer	1	Priest, Wilton
" 25	Wilton	Marie Berthiaume.	Wilton	30	"	Plumber	Bath, Me.	George and Harriet.	Bath and Trivett Me	Teamster.	1	James P. Harper, clergyman, Wilton
" 25	Wilton	Marshall Brown	Medford Mas	32	"	Dressmaker	Albion, P. E. I.	Nathaniel & Elizabeth	Albion Sturges Me	Farmer.	1	clergyman, Wilton

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WILTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914.

Date of death.	Name and surname of deceased.	Age.		Place of birth.	Sex and condition.		Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
		Years.	Months.		Color.	Single, married, or widowed.		Father.	Mother.		
Jan.	16 Henry L. Kacy.....	56	9	10	M	M	Laborer.....	West Swansey ..	Germany.....	Henry Kacy.....	Emma Schmidt.....
Feb.	6 Francis A. FitzGerald ..	2	5	23	M	S	.....	Mason.....	Chelmsford Mass	Edward P. FitzGerald	Myra Palmer.....
"	14 Mildred A. Brown.....	2	7	27	M	S	.....	Mont Vernon ..	Peterboro.....	Charles A. Brown.....	Urella Jaquith.....
Mar.	28 Mary A. K. Tyler.....	94	10	.....	F	W	Milliner.....	Gloucester, Mass	Peterboro.....	Jacob Kendall.....	Martha E. Briggs.....
April	2 Beatrice A. Clark.....	71	2	4	F	M	At home.....	Mayfield, Me....	Raymond, Me....	Warren L. Clark.....	Ester Thurlow.....
May	20 Cordelia Sheldon.....	90	9	3	F	W	Housewife.....	Wilton, N. H....	Wilton.....	Atwood Young.....	Lydia Putnam.....
"	14 Cared S. Goldsmith.....	68	10	15	M	W	Farmer.....	Canada.....	Canada.....	Samuel Goldsmith.....	V. Lacasse.....
June	15 Adelle Lesveque.....	84	7	3	F	M	At home.....	Peterboro.....	Ireland.....	James E. Avery.....	Abbie E. Kelly.....
July	16 Peter J. Berthiaume.....	25	2	29	M	W	Cabinet maker	Canada.....	Canada.....	Noel Berthiaume.....	Margaret Bassinier.....
"	10 Adela Simaeneau.....	4	4	1	M	W	Mechanic.....	Canada.....	Canada.....	Henry Simaeneau.....	C. Delphe.....
Aug.	15 Joseph E. Lapensy.....	4	6	17	F	S	.....	Canada.....	Ireland.....	Anthony Lapensy.....	Mary Barrett.....
Sept.	17 Joseph Cullinan.....	67	.....	.....	M	W	Mill operative.	Ireland.....	Westford, Mass	Joseph Cullinan.....	Catherine.....
"	19 Lydia B. Edwards.....	75	6	22	F	W	At home.....	Westford, Mass	Wilton.....	Benjamin Read.....	Betty Hunt.....
Oct.	29 Gardner Blanchard.....	66	2	16	F	M	Farmer.....	Wilton.....	Cambridge, Mass	Nathan Colburn.....	Jane Parker.....
"	13 Infant Simmineau.....	85	30	.....	M	W	.....	Canada.....	Tewksbury, Mass	Isaac Blanchard.....	Betsy Foster.....
Dec.	14 Ora Simmineau.....	26	.....	.....	F	S	Housewife.....	Canada.....	Canada.....	Alphonse Simmineau	Ora Martin.....
"	5 Nancie M. Sheldon.....	87	6	10	F	W	At home.....	Wilton.....	Wilton.....	Hazen Morse.....	Nancie Hunkins.....
"	8 Eilene Rose Ducey.....	4	8	F	W	Wilton.....	Wilton.....	Ellen J. Ducey.....	John R. McLaughlin.....
"	16 Ella M. Mahoney.....	34	2	1	F	M	Housewife.....	Wilton.....	Wilton.....	John R. McLaughlin.....

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